

POMONA GRANGE.

Second Quarterly Meeting Held in Half Moon Valley Amid Friends.

The second quarterly meeting of the Centre County Pomona Grange met in Half Moon Grange Hall, west of Stormstown, Friday of last week. The meeting was largely attended by members of the local Grange in which hall it was held, and by fifth degree members from various portions of the county. Although Half Moon Grange is a very active one, and has a good membership, this was the first Pomona session ever held there, this condition being due to the fact that it is located so far to the west of the center of the county.

The Order was called to assemble promptly at the hour named by Worthy Master Willard Dale. The few officers not present were supplied by appointment. After the preliminary opening, Capt. A. J. Hunter, a charter member of the order, made the address of welcome, and no one doubted the sincerity of the speaker or the people he represented in the hearty welcome extended. In closing his brief address, he quoted the first lines of the school boy's oration on his first appearance on the rostrum:

"You scarce can expect one of my age
To speak in public on the stage."

The response was made by the writer, who referred to the high state of agriculture, the splendid improvements, and the superior education of the people in the valley, attributing these conditions largely to the early Friends who settled in that region.

The first topic discussed was co-operation among farmers, by Hon. Leonard Rhone, who foresaw the necessity of the agricultural class getting nearer the consumer. This question is being largely discussed at the present time in all sections of the land—country and city alike.

E. B. Dorset, of Mansfield, Tioga county, lecturer of Pennsylvania State Grange, was the next speaker, who related a movement in New York City to create a condition whereby the product of the farm could be put into the hands of the city people without first adding several hundred per cent. to the original cost.

Following this, R. P. Kester, of Grampian, Clearfield county, one of the well known and able institute lecturers, and State Grange Deputy, spoke on the same subject. He thought the question a most difficult one to handle, but one that would finally be solved through the order represented there.

The report of the Grange Fire Insurance Company was read by the secretary, David K. Keller. The report indicates the company to be in the best of condition, and the rate of insurance less than for some years. The total amount of insurance is less than in former years, owing to the fact that fire insurance companies were organized by Pomona Granges in Bedford, Clearfield and Huntingdon counties. The rate of insurance for the past year, for actual insurance, was considerably less than other local mutual companies, and very much less than the rate paid to cash companies.

The report of the chairman, Mr. Rhone, of the Grange Encampment and Fair, was read, telling of the improvements made on Grange Park, and the prospects for the September gathering.

The exploits and phenomenal success of the Patrons Rural Telephone Company were embodied in a report made by the secretary of the company.

Mrs. D. W. Bradford recited a poem, and Mrs. Daniel Grove read a selection, both being appropriate and instructive.

A class of eighteen fourth degree members were admitted to the Pomona Grange, the degree work having been given in full.

State Lecturer Dorset and State Deputy Kester both spoke of the work in their line throughout the state, and the effort that was being made to increase the efficiency of the officers and influence of the Order.

The Master was elected to represent the Order at the conference to select places for the Farmers' Institutes to be held next winter. He was also authorized to appoint three delegates to the conference to elect trustees for Pennsylvania State College.

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE.

The members of the Order who attended this meeting of Pomona, are as follows:

STORMSTOWN
Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Way
Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Beck
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Beck
Mr. and Mrs. R. Orlando Way
Isiah Beck
R. D. Ardery
Miss Anna Mary Hunter
Mr. and Mrs. N. I. Wilson
Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Williams
Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Rye
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Eves
Capt. J. A. Hunter
Mrs. J. I. Gray
Dr. S. G. Coons
B. M. Wilson

PORT MATILDA

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Woodring

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Woodring
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Laird
Mrs. J. F. Goss
A. S. Williams

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Peterson, Penn. Furnace
E. T. Parsons, Penn. Furnace
D. M. Campbell, Linden Hall
Mr. and Mrs. Willard Dale, Dale Summit
Mr. and Mrs. John S. Dale, Dale Summit
Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Musser, Bellefonte
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Grove, Lemont
Isaac Frain, Jacksonville
John Grove, Lemont
Reuben Cromley, Fleming
R. P. Kester, Grampian
E. B. Dorset, Mansfield

CENTRE HALL

Leonard Rhone Mrs. Rebecca Cummings
Mrs. Samuel Durst Mrs. R. D. Foreman
David K. Keller Mrs. D. W. Bradford
S. W. Smith George W. Glingerich
Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bariges

A BIT OF HISTORY.

It was in 1784 that the first white settler found his way to Half Moon Valley. He was Abraham Elder, who came from Franklin county, locating on the home now owned by Capt. A. J. Hunter to the east of Stormstown. He found an abandoned cabin there, and turned it into a dwelling. He and his wife and children were the first to settle there. This planting done, he returned to Franklin county, and the following spring his wife and infant son (Robert) traveled on horseback to their new home. A stone mansion was erected on the site of the cabin in 1808, and in 1832 an addition was erected by Robert Elder, which mansion today is the home of Captain Hunter, whose wife was a granddaughter of Abraham Elder.

This structure was the first hotel west of Bellefonte to accommodate the many travelers west to Pittsburg. The main article of transportation was iron ore and later iron. Here (in the cabin) was held the first religious meeting in Half Moon Valley, the Elders being Presbyterians.

The first Quaker to settle in that valley was George Wilson, a native of Chester county, who located in that vicinity in 1792. Many of the descendants live there now, and worship in the church of their fathers.

Other Quakers to follow closely were Benjamin and Caleb Way, brothers. Edward B. Way, who lives on one of the best equipped farms in that neighborhood, being one of the descendants of one of the branches of this family. Between 1804 and 1820 many others, the majority of them Quakers, located in this valley.

The structure occupied by Half Moon Grange was erected in 1830 by the Quakers, and was the second Meeting House, the first having been erected in 1800 at the cemetery, about one mile to the west. This latter was a log structure, and prominent among the promoters of this church enterprise were George Wilson, the Ways, Moores, Spencers and Downings.

During 1841 a more imposing church edifice was built. This structure stands today and is the worshipping place of the Friends of the fourth, fifth and sixth generations. About this time a distribution of funds was made by the main body of Friends in Chester county, and this fund was used in establishing a school in the old church (now Grange Hall). A Friends' school was maintained with more or less irregularity since the erection of the log cabin meeting house, in which house the first school in Half Moon Valley was taught. The Quaker took with him his church and his school.

Half Moon Valley was so named from the half-moons cut on the trees by the Indians along their trails between Standing Stone (Huntingdon) and Bald Eagle's Nest (Millsburg). Warriors Mark also got its name from the marks cut on trees by "warriors." Stormstown got its name from Jacob Storm, who founded it. He came there in 1800, and believed that inasmuch as there was already a tavern, a store, a smithy conducted by Edward Webb, and a superior class of people in the neighborhood, it would be a good point to lay out a town and did so. Later additional lots were laid out, and this plot was named Walkerville. Stormstown, up to 1880, was called Half Moon in the postal service.

As early as 1810, Abraham Elder closed his place to travelers, and at this time Benjamin Way opened a public house, which up to 1890 was licensed, but since has been conducted as a boarding house.

In 1897 a fire broke out in the village town, and in a short while twenty-six buildings were destroyed and sixteen families were homeless. Every business place was burned, including the post office. It was a serious calamity from which the village never fully recovered.

Half Moon Grange, No. 200, was organized June 19, 1874, by Hon. Leonard Rhone. But three charter members survive, the trio being Capt. A. J. Hunter, Master; Isiah Beck, Overseer, and Isaac Beck, Treasurer. They were all at the meeting Friday, as was also Mr. Rhone.

The Buffalo Valley News, formerly the Millsburg Times, has suspended publication.

LETTERS FROM SUBSCRIBERS.

Reporter Subscribers' Correspondent Column—New Department.

Enclosed you will find one dollar for the Centre Reporter. It was my intention to make a trip to Pennsylvania this spring but Mrs. Strunk has been ill for a long time and it is now too near the haying season to go away. Corn is looking good considering the weather conditions, and ranges in height from six to eight inches. Some corn has been cultivated once. Wheat looks good, but oats are poor. Lately we have had rain which will help the crops considerably. This was a backward spring, most of the time being too cold for the crops but good to work horses.

J. A. STRUNK,
May 22, 1911. Yates Center, Kansas.

Salaries Increased.

This legislature, as a record-breaker in salary raising and increasing public berths, has put up to Governor Tener (not counting the increase which he vetoed for the Internal Affairs department, the only one that evoked his disapproval) a total annual increase of \$577,580 for State offices alone, in salary swelling and multiplication of places. Of those the Governor has approved bills amounting to \$249,540, including the Judges' salaries increase. The amount of the bills passed by both houses and still awaiting Tener's action for the annual increase in pay and berths of state offices alone is \$328,040, one item of which is the raising of the Legislature's salaries by \$900 biennially for each.

In addition, the bills or commissions which the Governor is yet to approve or knock out, amount to more than \$300,000, including the Panama Canal Commission, but not including the Capitol Park Extensions Commissions. It would be difficult to estimate the aggregate of additional expense to the counties, townships and cities, including Philadelphia, from the local salary raisers and office increasers.

To Have Supreme Court.

Methodists, the larger northern body, are to have a supreme court. It will be known as the Final Court of Appeals. Its membership will be fifteen, three bishops and six each of ministers and laymen. Members are to be chosen by the General Conference, the bishops to serve four years, or between General Conference sessions, the others four and eight years. Co-ordinated with this new highest court will be others for members, local preachers and ministers. Methodists find the General Conference, meeting every four years, to be both too large and too much burdened with other work to sit as a court.

Transfers of Real Estate.

John Hamilton et ux to M. S. McDowell, April 4, 1911, tract of land in State College. \$1.

George L. Holter et ux to M. S. McDowell April 4, 1911, tract of land in State College. \$1.

Mary O. Foster et al to M. S. McDowell, April 4, 1911, tract of land in State College. \$2,000.

M. I. Gardner atty in fact to Abraham Weber, April 22, 1911, tract of land in Howard town. \$150.

David M. McMurray et al to Emanuel Eungard, March 4, 1911, tract of land in Gregg twp. \$3350.

Lillie G. Brill to E. Eungard et al, May 4, 1911, tract of land in Gregg twp. \$1.

David McMurray et al to Samuel Rachau, March 4, 1911, tract of land in Gregg twp. \$600.

A. J. Shook et ux to D. H. Shook, April 1, 1911, tract of land in Gregg twp. \$2500.

John C. Miller et al to Lucy M. Potter et al, May 8, 1911, tract of land in Bellefonte. \$1.

Evaline J. Bell to Calvin H. Troup, April 14, 1911, tract of land in Bellefonte. \$3000.

Lucy M. Potter et al to George A. Beezer, April 27, 1911, tract of land in Bellefonte. \$1090.

I. J. Dreese trustee to J. F. Meyer, May 16, 1911, tract of land in Ferguson twp. \$1475.

T. C. Harding to Catherine Harding, May 1, 1911, tract of land in Rush twp. \$1500.

James Moyer et ux to George A. Vonada, March 28, 1911, tract of land in Miles twp. \$1875.

Dora E. Fisher to C. W. Bauder, May 4, 1911, tract of land in Unionville. \$375.

William F. Ziegler et al to Ammon Stover, April 7, 1911, tract of land in Haines twp. \$70 per acre.

Whooping cough is not dangerous when the cough is kept loose and expectation easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has been used in many epidemics of this disease with perfect success. For sale by all dealers.

Bitter-Murray.

The marriage of Dr. H. F. Bitner and Miss Agnes Murray was consummated at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. J. S. Meyer, east of Penn Hall, at noon on Sunday, the ceremony having been performed by Rev. W. D. Donat, pastor of the Reformed church on the Aaronsburg charge. There were no guests except the members of the Meyer family, one of whom is Mrs. Catharine Bitner, the aged mother of the groom.

Both the principals to this wedding are well known to many of the Reporter readers. The groom is a native of Gregg township, and when graduated from Franklin and Marshall College taught the High School in Centre Hall. From here he went to Kutztown, as a professor in the State Normal, and afterward to Millersville, occupying a similar position in the Millersville Normal. Several years ago he returned to Centre Hall and purchased a half interest in the Murray drug store, his partner now being his bride.

The bride is the daughter of Druggist J. D. Murray, and is one of Centre Hall's most respected and refined ladies. For a number of years she conducted the drug store for her father, and also presided over his home since the death of Mrs. Murray. The Reporter extends congratulations.

Teachers' Examination.

The dates for the teachers' examinations to be held in Centre county have been announced. The names of the places where the examinations will be held and the time set for them are appended:

Unionville, Monday, June 5
Hubersburg, Tuesday, June 6
Bellefonte, Wednesday, June 7
Shaw Shoar, Thursday, June 8
Millsburg, Thursday, June 8
Centre Hall, Friday, June 9
Boalsburg, Saturday, June 10
Pine Grove Mills, Monday, June 19
Howard, Wednesday, June 21
Eagleville, Thursday, June 22
Phillipsburg, Friday, June 23
Bellefonte—Special—Friday, July 14
Bellefonte—Special—(second trial), July 21
Bellefonte—Professional, Friday, August 4

Centre Hill Cemetery.

Everybody, Presbyterian or otherwise, who has relatives buried at Centre Hill, or who is in any way interested in keeping the cemetery in order, is invited to come to the cemetery Friday morning, June 2nd, to help in cleaning up this old burial place. Bring your lunch along. Plans are developing for the repair of the wall surrounding the grounds, which will soon be announced; but the above meeting is to clean up the ground within the walls. A general turn out will make the work easy.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. George Ulrich, of Millheim, attended the funeral of Mrs. Ulrich's brother, John Stover, at Lewisburg. Mr. Stover was reared on the Frankenberger farm, just this side of Millheim.

The Millsburg Telegraph contained this personal: D. H. Myers, the efficient and courteous foreman at the Millsburg Creamery Co., was a business and social visitor to Centre county, last Friday and Saturday.

Miss Lillie Dale, who since last July had been in Rushville, Nebraska, with a brother, Horace Dale, is back to Dale Summit, and for the present is with her brother, John S. Dale. She was very much pleased with Nebraska, but it was not the old home.

The Bellefonte Daily has again made its appearance. The paper is published in the Howard Hustler office, at Howard, and the editor is W. C. Darrah, of Bellefonte. Mr. Darrah was formerly editor and publisher of the Renovo News.

Miss Helen Williams, of Begeh Creek, came to Centre Hall on Saturday and remained with friends until after Memorial Day. She taught the secondary school in this place during the winter of 1909-1910, but last winter taught in the vicinity of Waddles.

One of the citizens of Millheim urges the erection of a town hall or an opera house, claiming that such a building would be needed in order to induce lecturers and entertainers to come to that town. Surely such an edifice would be a credit to Millheim.

It looks as though the voice of the protesting farmer had been heard, and that reciprocity with Canada, a measure that takes from the farmer every bit of protection, would be killed. The Reporter does not care how its death comes about, just so the beast is put to death, and this for the best interests of the farmers.

As soon as it is ascertained that monies have been appropriated for the salaries of assistant superintendents of schools, Superintendent Eiters will appoint Milford Fletcher to that position in Centre county. His salary will be \$1500 per year. Mr. Fletcher has been an active school man, and can earn his salary as well as the average assistant under the new law.

DEATHS.

Dr. John D. McGirk, one of the best known and most highly esteemed citizens of Phillipsburg, died at his home at that place Thursday morning of last week. For the past year he suffered from a very light paralytic stroke. About a week previous to his demise his condition became serious and this coupled with his failing health brought about his death. Deceased was a son of James McGirk, a native of Ireland, and was born in Phillipsburg, October 21, 1834, making his age seventy-six years, seven months and four days. He was one of the ablest and most successful physicians of Phillipsburg. In the spring of 1871 he graduated from the University of Pennsylvania, obtaining the degree of M. D. and on returning to his native town followed that profession until a few years ago. A little more than nine years ago he associated with his son, Dr. Charles E. McGirk, and established in Phillipsburg a sanitarium which has developed into one of the most important institutions of the kind in this section of the state.

Dr. McGirk was married to Miss Mary F. Hand, now deceased, in the fall of 1856, and to this union were born three children, one of whom is dead. The two surviving members of this family are Miss Annie, at home, and Dr. Charles E., chief factor at the sanitarium, and one of Phillipsburg's most successful citizens. One sister, Mrs. Henrietta Foster, of Phillipsburg, also survives.

It was through the influence of Dr. McGirk and twenty-six others of the forty-five free holders on the petition that Phillipsburg was transformed from a village to a borough. He served three years as a member of first borough council which was organized in 1856.

The funeral took place Saturday afternoon under the direction of the Masonic fraternity, and interment was made in the Phillipsburg cemetery.

Sunday evening of last week Miss Anna Agnes Markle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Markle, of Tyrone, died after an illness of about five months from a complication of diseases.

Miss Markle was born in Centre Hall, September 22, 1883, making her age twenty-seven years, eight months and nineteen days. When fourteen years old she went to Tyrone with her parents, and remained there until about two years ago when she went to Altoona, where she had been employed until overcome by illness. Her parents, one brother, J. C., of Lewisburg, and one sister, Mrs. Roland Krebs, of Altoona, survive.

Interment was made in the Grand View Cemetery, Wednesday following her death, and the officiating minister was Rev. W. W. Hartman.

Elizabeth Lohr died at the home of her niece, Mrs. E. Meckley, in Juniata, Wednesday evening of last week, of diseases incident to old age. The deceased was born at Farmers' Mills, February 22, 1826, being in her eighty-sixth year. The deceased lived with a daughter in Williamsport and relatives in Bellefonte until two years ago, when she went to Juniata and made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Meckley. Deceased was a devoted Christian, worshipping in the Lutheran faith. She is survived by eight grandchildren and a number of great-grandchildren, also a sister.

For a number of years this subject made her home with her nieces, Mrs. Joseph Lutz and Miss Annie Lohr. She was the sister of the late William Lohr, of Centre Hall.

George E. Breon, aged thirty-eight years, seven months and one day, died at his home in Brawley, California, on the 16th of last month. Mr. Breon was born at Potters Mills, and was a son of Captain Jacob and Mollie Breon, both now deceased. While quite young his parents moved from Potters Mills to Altoona, where he grew to manhood. For the past eight years he had been located in California.

John Henry Detwiler, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Detwiler, died at his parents' home at Smulton Monday of last week of spasmodic asthma, aged two years, one month and five days. Funeral services were held the following Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. F. Bingham, and interment was made in the cemetery at Rebersburg.

Helen, aged one and one-half years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stover, of Woodward, died Sunday from convulsions. Interment will be made this (Thursday) morning at Aaronsburg.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

The teachers' examination will be held in Centre Hall, Friday, 16th inst. Montgomery county pays the county superintendent of public school \$5000 a year.

The rural districts get but one million of the three million dollars they should have on account of the Jones "dirt" road bill.

The Watsonstown postoffice has handled on an average of 2500 pieces of mail per day since the headquarters demand all mail counted.

Kissel Hill, Lancaster county, has a sweet citizen in C. E. Stauffer, who has harvested 3000 pounds of honey, the product of his million bees.

Former Prothonotary William Smith, accompanied by Mrs. Smith, of Millheim, on Saturday were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Geary, in Centre Hall.

William Booser and Miss Bertha McCormick attended the fifty-eighth annual convocation of the Grand Commandery of Pennsylvania, Knights Templar, held in Williamsport last week.

In a wreck of one of the show trains belonging to the Buffalo Bill Wild West Show, which occurred near Lowell, Massachusetts, Shaffer Leeper, of Lewisburg, was seriously, but not fatally, injured.

While on their way to Philadelphia last week, Rev. and Mrs. J. I. Stonecypher, and the latter's mother, Mrs. Hiram Ulrich, of Boalsburg, stopped at Selingsgrove and were guests at the home of James Ulrich.

T. H. Harter, postmaster at Bellefonte and editor of the Keystone Gazette, was made president of the state association of postmasters, for the ensuing year. The last meeting was held at Harrisburg.

At the State convention of Odd Fellows in session at Wilkes Barre recently it was announced that the present membership in the state is 144,597, an increase of 1,763 since the last annual convention.

Dr. John A. Hardenburg, of Millheim, who recently returned from Philadelphia where he had been located for some time, has ordered a Ford automobile through the agency of C. H. Breon & Company, of Millheim.

Ten miles of onions have been planted by Huntingdon reformatory boys on the farm connected with the institution. Seventy bushels of potatoes and other vegetables in like proportions have also been put under the ground.

Mrs. Wagner Geiss, of Bellefonte, gave a May luncheon for a dozen of her friends from that place, last Friday, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Goodhart, in Centre Hall, as a surprise in celebration of her mother's birthday.

Hon. William C. Heinle, of Bellefonte, attended the graduation exercises of the National School of Eloquence and Oratory, at Philadelphia, Tuesday of last week. His daughter, Miss Bettie Heinle, was a member of the graduating class and finished her course in that school with a large list of honors.

Saturday afternoon of last week Harry Peace, of Coleville, while crossing a foot bridge which spans the Buffalo Run creek above Coleville, made a misstep and fell into the stream. On striking the bottom his wrist came in contact with a broken bottle which severed an artery. Only the prompt arrival of a physician saved the young man's life as the cut was a severe one and would have proven fatal.

Lancaster, the richest farming county in the United States, is not entirely denuded of timber, although a trip through the county by rail would leave the impression that it was. There are in the county about 58,392 acres of timber and 51,150 acres of cleared land. Breakneck leads with 4,851 acres of timberland. The valuation of the real estate in the county is \$103,707,951, of which \$7,355,000 is exempt from taxation.

The following is from the State College Times: While John S. Baumgardner was spinning along the lower road between State College and Pine Hall, last Saturday, in his new Ford, an outfit driven by a careless driver, backed over the embankment in front of his car. The impact tore one of the front tires to pieces, spread the axle, twisted the steering gear and damaged the guards. The wagon was some what splintered. There were four ladies in the car, but none was injured. Had the machine been running with very much power the collision would have resulted in a harrowing accident as the place where it occurred is a dangerous one.

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VALUE OF IMAGINATION.

Life naturally must be more interesting to the person of vivid imagination than to one who lives only for the tangible things about him and who fears to dream as his fancy will because reality bears heavily upon him. We do not think that even the man of affairs would find the indulgence of a few day dreams detrimental to his interests, while to those who look only upon the serious side of life and share only its darker aspects, a few dreams of what perhaps may come to pass would act as a tonic upon tired nerves, says the Charleston News and Courier. Our dreams are often companions to us, and sometimes we find ourselves moving unconsciously with them in a world far removed from our real habitation, but one whose promises seem easy of fulfillment and whose delights compensate for some of the hardships we may, perhaps, be called upon to bear during our waking hours. The world which is our idea of happiness, with all its wonder of accomplishment and all its measure of appreciation—the world in which we naturally play an important part—has not seen its shining sands, and lofty summits, and flowering paths, beckoning, telling us how good it is to live and defying us to resist its appealing call? We cannot all gain its shores and discover long-hidden secrets, but, at least, we can turn its promises to our advantage and make our day dreams cases, as it were, in the desert spots of life.

James H. Collins, writing of "the orderly German mind," notes that a generation ago the chief exports of Germany were philosophy, poetry, music and emigrants, while today she ships machinery, chemicals, textiles and other manufactured products, and the mere thought of her competition scares America and has brought England to the verge of hysteria. How has this come about? You could put all Germany, and Pennsylvania to boot, in the state of Texas. Yet there are upward of 70,000,000 Germans. With scant natural resources, the Teuton had to think hard and make the best of it. Just as in scholarly and scientific research, his agricultural and industrial labors have been intense, methodical, plodding, thorough. He has taught the world how to farm. He is supreme in the economic use of chemicals.

It is rather comfortable to hear that the opinion of experts in the Lake Superior region is decidedly adverse to the view that the supplies of iron ore at the present rate of increased use will last only a short time. Those familiar with the region point out billions of tons in the Cascade range, besides millions proved up in the Mesabim, Ishpeming and other ranges to the westward of the latter. Possibly a strict analysis of the prophecy of short life for our ore supply would disclose that it refers only to the exhaustion of the Mesaba deposits. Even then they are predicated on the maintenance of a rate of increase in mining equal to the exceptional one of the past two decades. Apart from the correctness of that calculation the fact is well known that there are vast deposits of ore yet practically untouched.

Look into the eyes of the oriental and you look into orbs that are opaque to Occidental discernment. A mystic and alien light hints an appalling gulch of sentiment. But somewhere behind the screen with which the patient Chinaman holds his dignity of solitude there beats a heart as ready to bleed at the story of suffering of his own people as that of the stranger all too prone to call him devil. The "heavenly Chinese" is perhaps not so peculiar as his reputation.

A zoo expert says that snakes must be protected. For obvious reasons, those who disagree with him will be afraid to do anything but give an apparent acquiescence, if they do not wish to subject themselves to serious aspersion.

The oldest woman in New York died the other day at the age of one hundred and seventeen. She did not advise the world to follow her mode of living. Blessings on her soul!

"Women always are and constitutionally ought to be tougher than men," says Prof. Tyler of Amherst college. Still, no man ought to leave it to his wife to bring up the kitchen coal.

"Woman is stronger than man," opines Professor Tyler. At any rate, a good many of us are led to believe that she is stronger in the vicinity of the jawbone.

Finally a good word has been said for the English sparrow. Somebody claims to have found that it eats the cotton maple scale. Go it, birdie.

BIG BATTLESHIP WYOMING AFLOAT

The Latest Dreadnought in Her Element.

VESSEL 550 FEET LONG.

Fighting Ship Christened by Miss Knight in the Presence of Many Guests From Wyoming.

Philadelphia.—In the presence of the Governor and a delegation of visitors from the State for which it was named, Miss Dorothy Eunice Knight, daughter of former Chief Justice Jesse Knight, of Wyoming, christened the battleship Wyoming, the nation's latest Dreadnought, when the warship was launched at the yards of the Cramp Ship and Engine Company in this city.

Governor J. M. Carey, of Wyoming, several officials of the State, together with Secretary Meyer of the Navy Department and other naval officials, were among those on the launching stand when the big battleship slid into the Delaware river.

When the Wyoming gets in full armament she will not be surpassed by any fighting ship in the world. The length over all is 550 feet, breadth at the water line 93 feet and displacement 26,000 tons. The big battleship will have a speed of 20½ knots an hour. The coal capacity will be 2,500 tons, and the ship will carry oil burners in case of emergency.

The Wyoming's armament will consist of 12 12-inch guns, 21 5-inch guns, four 3-pounders, saluting guns, two 1-pounder semi-automatic guns, two 3-inch field pieces, two 30-caliber machine guns and two submerged torpedo tubes.

The battleship is a little more than one-third completed. It will carry 54 officers and 1,039 enlisted men.

The Wyoming is one of six first-class battleships under construction at different yards. When the whole number is completed another fleet will be added to the navy which will be stronger in fighting strength than the entire American Navy at the end of the Spanish-American War.

TAFT TO SCOTCH CHURCH

Hopes For Arbitration and That Canada Will Fly Flag of Britain.

Edinburgh.—A message from President Taft, in which he pleads for international arbitration treaties as a method of abolishing war and hopes "that Canada will continue to prosper and fly the British flag," was read before the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland by Rev. Dr. MacDonald, of Toronto, Canada. The message follows:

"It is the sincerest desire of my life to see the two great sections of the English-speaking races join in a treaty of unlimited arbitration which will make wars forever more impossible. There is no question of national honor nor interest that can ever arise between the Mother Country and the United States which cannot, with dignity and in a practical manner, lead to independent judicial arbitration without resorting to war."

"It is our sincerest desire that Canada shall continue to prosper and fly the British flag, sharing with the United States the responsibility for North American progress. It is my confident hope that the treaty will prepare the way for wider and more peaceful relations among all nations and bring into reality the days foretold by the ancient prophets, 'when nations shall not lift the sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.'"

Rich Farmer a Suicide.

Oxford, N. J.—Aaron L. Hildebrand, wealthy farmer and director of the Belvidere (N. J.) National Bank, was found dead in a woods near his home, with a gunshot wound in his heart, evidently a suicide. He left the house, saying he was going to hunt ground hogs, and when he did not return in the evening the family became alarmed. The intense heat of the early part of the week had a most depressing effect on Hildebrand, and he is supposed to have killed himself.

Cats U. S. Fire Nation.

New York.—The United States should be called the "fire nation," because it sacrifices more property and lives to fire than any other, declared Charles E. Meek, secretary of the National Association of Credit Men.

To Establish Shanghai Paper.

San Francisco.—Several American newspaper men, headed by B. Winfield Fisher, have sailed for Shanghai to establish the China News, to be printed in both English and Chinese.

London Has 7,252,963.

London.—The population of Greater London is now 7,252,963, making it still the greatest city in the world, according to the official preliminary census figures just made public.

ON THE SEA OF MATRIMONY



GREAT LIBRARY OPENED BY TAFT

Cost Ten Million Dollars and Has Sixty Branches.

TEN YEARS IN BUILDING IT.

Marble Palace of the New York Public Library Dedicated—Merger of Astor, Lenox and Tilden Foundations.

New York.—The New York Public Library, the largest, the most costly and by many thought to be the most beautiful library building in the country, was dedicated here Tuesday afternoon by President Taft, Governor Dix and Mayor Gaynor. The public viewed the library after the formal dedication.

The President arrived here at 1 o'clock. A picked squad of mounted police met him at the station and escorted him to the library. Elaborate precautions were taken to insure his safety, and no admission except by ticket was permitted.

The new library, of white marble throughout, has been 12 years building and cost more than \$10,000,000. Its endowment and collections are provided by a merger of three private foundations—the Astor and Lenox libraries and the Tilden foundation—but the city gave the land and defrayed the cost of erection.

President Taft spoke at the exercises as follows:

"The accumulation of books, however valuable, however rare, however great in number, in a single library, without facilities for their consultation, examination and distribution, is like the deposits of great veins of valuable minerals still in the earth, known to be there but without the mines and the transportation needed to make the materials available for the use of man."

"It is not in the treasures of the various collections that go to make up this library that its chief value consists, wonderful as these are, and much as we are indebted to the Astors and James Lenox for the money, labor and pain expended in their gathering."

"It is not in the number of volumes or pamphlets or manuscripts that this library stands out first in the world, for, I believe, considered from that standpoint it is only sixth or seventh of the greatest collection; but it is in the facility of circulation and in the immense number of books that are distributed each year for use to the citizens and residents of New York and vicinity, that this library easily takes the first rank."

"The completion of this building gives outward and substantial evidence of the perfection of the project. When the story is told of how this great organization was effected it is hardly credible."

Japan Wan's Pact With U. S.

Tokyo.—Japan, it was stated in official circles, is prepared to participate in negotiations for a general treaty of arbitration with the United States and is willing to submit proposals for such an agreement if invited.

American Artist Wins

Barcelona.—The International Art Exhibition has awarded first prize and a medal of honor to James J. Shannon, R. A., the American artist, for two portraits.

Moors Attack Ship

Madrid.—The Moorish crew of a sailing vessel attacked the Spanish gunboat Don Alvaro de Bazan while the warship was lying off Alhucemas. The Moors fired a number of shots, to which the warship replied with her guns.

Killed Her Children and Herself.

Brambach, Saxony.—Driven temporarily insane by an accusation of theft, a woman here killed her five children and then committed suicide.

NO MERCY FOR BIG CRIMINALS

President Taft Refuses to Pardon Morse and Walsh.

CRIMES AGAINST SOCIETY.

The President Not Moved by the Long List of Influential Friends Who Signed the Petitions.

Washington.—President Taft denied the applications for the pardon of Charles W. Morse, of New York, and John R. Walsh, of Chicago, the two most prominent bankers ever convicted and sent to federal penitentiaries under the national banking laws. Not only did the President refuse to pardon either Morse or Walsh, but he also declined at this time to exercise any other sort of executive clemency in these cases, or to shorten the sentences imposed upon the two men by the courts in which they were convicted.

In denying the pardons the President took a firm stand that the national banking laws or any other laws must be upheld when they affect the rich man even more than when they affect the poor. The record in the Walsh case, the President said in a long opinion, "shows moral turpitude of that insidious and dangerous kind, to punish which the national banking laws were especially enacted."

In considering the case of Morse the President said that, "from a consideration of the facts in each case I have no doubt that Morse should have received a heavier sentence than Walsh. Indeed the methods taken by Morse tend to show that more keenly than Walsh, did he realize the evil of what he was doing."

In his opinion in the Walsh case the President protested against the failure to discriminate between legitimate business and improper gain.

"The truth is," said he, "that in the mad rush for wealth in the last few decades the lines between profit from legitimate business and improper gain from undue use of trust control over other people's property and money has sometimes been dimmed, and the interest of society requires that whenever opportunity offers those charged with the enforcement of the law should emphasize the distinction between honest business and dishonest breaches of trust."

The President's denial of the pardon applications of Morse and Walsh does not mean that they must stay in prison until the end of their terms. Walsh began a sentence of five years in the Leavenworth Penitentiary in January, 1910, and under the federal parole law is eligible for parole next September. The President's action tonight having no bearing whatever upon future applications for parole, Morse began his 15-year term in the Atlanta Penitentiary in January, 1910, also. In denying his application the President granted leave to renew it after January 1, 1912. Under the parole law Morse would be eligible for release in 1915.

Both Morse and Walsh made strong efforts to have the President exercise clemency. He was besieged by friends and attorneys of both men. Mrs. Morse got up a monster petition which was signed by scores of members of Congress and other prominent persons and former Senator Hale, of Maine, did much in her behalf.

Judge Barry Killed.

Nashville, Tenn.—Judge David F. Barry, of the Sumner county bench, interfered in a quarrel between his cook and a negro, John Sweat, at the Barry home, near Gallatin. Sweat killed the cook, then turning the gun on Judge Barry, instantly killed him. A posse went in pursuit and rounded up Sweat in a barn. He shot from a window, hitting Constable James Barnes. Sweat was lynched by a mob.

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Canton, O.—The General Synod of the Reformed Church in the United States decided to raise \$30,000 during the year for mission work.

FOR WORLD-WIDE PEACE

Carnegie Endowment Plan Outlined at Mohonk Conference—Council Named.

Mohonk Lake, N. Y.—At the opening of the seventeenth annual meeting of the Lake Mohonk Conference on International Arbitration, President Nicholas Murray Butler, of Columbia University, presiding officer of the conference, for the first time made public the plans of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

President Butler in his address said:

"It has been determined by the trustees of the Carnegie Endowment to organize the undertaking committed to their charge as a great institution for research and public education and to carry on its work in three parts or divisions—a division of international law, a division of economics and history and a division of international education."

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"For this purpose the endowment will associate with Dr. Scott a consultative board composed of some of the most distinguished international lawyers in the world."

"The second division of the work will be under the direction of Prof. John Bates Clark, of Columbia University."

"It will be the business of this division to study the economic causes and effects of war; the effect upon the public opinion of nations and upon the international good-will, of retaliatory, discriminatory and preferential tariffs; the economic aspects of the present huge expenditures for military purposes, and the relation between military expenditures and international well-being and the world-wide program for social improvement and reform which is held in waiting through lack of means for its execution."

"For the third division the director has not yet been announced. It will be the function of this division to supplement the work of the two divisions."

The report of the Mohonk committee appointed two years ago to consider the establishment of a national council for arbitration and peace was presented by Dr. George W. Kirchwey, dean of the Columbia Law School. It creates such council, with the following members:

President Nicholas Murray Butler, Senator Theodore E. Burton, Dr. Samuel T. Dutton, Hamilton Holt, Theodore Marburg, William J. Bryan, Dr. George W. Kirchwey, Edwin D. Mead, Senator Elihu Root, Daniel Smiley, Dr. James Brown Scott, Dr. Benjamin F. Truehold, President E. D. Warfield, Miss Jane Addams and Mrs. Fanny Andrews.

William Jennings Bryan led the general discussion. He contended that the proposed Anglo-American treaty meant the end of war, because it provided that all disputes, without exception, were to be submitted to arbitration. He hoped that Japan would be included in the list of nations with which treaties were to be made.

He believed, however, that the chief source of trouble was the armor-plate industry.

To Prevent Typhoid Fever.

Washington.—To aid in the prevention of typhoid fever the officers of the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service have been instructed by Surgeon-General Walter Wyman to offer the new anti-typhoid vaccination to all beneficiaries of the service. Surgeon-General Wyman says that experience has shown that the use of anti-typhoid vaccine affords protection against attacks of typhoid and that the incidence of the disease, particularly among troops, is reduced as a result of its use.

Shot Himself in Dream.

New York.—The danger of sleeping with a pistol under one's pillow was illustrated Monday when John McAlenean died from a self-inflicted bullet wound through the head. Members of the family said McAlenean slept with a revolver at the head of the bed and shot himself during a dream. The police could not find the weapon, but were told that it had been taken away by relatives, who found the young man dying in bed. The coroner reported the case as an accident.

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DIAZ'S RULE ENDED MADERO CONTROLS

The Complete Triumph of the Revolution.

JOY AT THE MEXICAN CAPITAL.

Rioting and Bloodshed in the Mexican Capital Quickly Changes to a Carnival of Peace and Gladness.

Diaz 31 Years.
1820—Born in Oaxaca of an Indian mother. Educated for the church.
1846—Enlisted in war against the United States.
1854—Served in revolt against Santa Ana.
1858—Supported Juarez in war of reform.
1859—Opposed French in war of intervention.
1867—Secured surrender of City of Mexico from Maximilian.
1867—Candidate for president against Juarez. Defeated.
1876—Made provisional president of the Republic.
1877—Regularly elected for a three-year term.
1880—Secured election of Gonzalez as his successor.
1884—Again elected President, law against re-election having been abrogated. His term would have expired in 1888, but according to a constitutional amendment in 1887, it was extended to 1892.
1904—Again elected to serve until November 30, 1910. This was his seventh term.
1910—Re-elected, making his eighth term as President of Mexico.
1911—May 25, resigned under pressure, following the victories of the revolutionists under the leadership of General Madero.

Mexico City.—President Porfirio Diaz, in a letter read by the president of the Chamber of Deputies, Thursday afternoon resigned the presidency of the Republic of Mexico, and at 4:54 o'clock the acceptance of the resignation by the Chamber of Deputies was announced. Vice-President Ramon Corral's resignation was also accepted, and Minister of Foreign Affairs Francisco Llo De La Barra was chosen Provisional President to serve until a general election can be held.

Everyone had expected an uproar when the announcement should be made, but within the chamber the words announcing the event were followed by silence. The deputies seemed awed by what had taken place.

In the streets, black with people, the news that Diaz was no longer the president was the signal for wild shouting and manifestations. There was no violence or destruction of property.

On the motion to accept the President's resignation 167 deputies voted aye, while no expression was made by Benito Juarez, a descendant of President Juarez, and Concepcion del Valle. As their names were called all other legislators rose and bowed their affirmation.

In similar fashion the resignation of Vice-President Corral, now in France, was unanimously accepted and similarly Senor de la Barra, recently ambassador to Washington, was chosen provisional president. Senor de la Barra took the oath of office at noon Friday in the Yellow Parlor of the National Palace.

Of scarcely less popular interest than the resignation was the assumption of military control of the federal district by Alfredo Robles Dominguez, Madero's personal representative, insuring the handling of popular demonstrations by a leader of the new regime.

Personally, Dominguez commands only a small body of local rebels, but the federal garrison is under orders to make no move whatsoever without his approval. Senor Dominguez said that he could bring 5,000 organized rebel troops into the city within three hours. Their baggage and horses are aboard trains, furnished by the government, at Cuernavaca, Pachuca and Tlalneapula.

Would Regulate Press

Chicago.—President F. A. Delano, of the Washburn Railway, says if the Interstate Commerce Commission is a good thing for the railroads, why not try to regulate newspapers by it.

Church and State Divided

Lisbon.—The long-looked-for rupture between the Church and the Government is now an accomplished fact, as a result of the protest by the bishops against the separation law. It attacks the provisional Government and declares that the law is not one of separation, but of annexation of the Church. After being despoiled of all property and authority, the bishops declare, the Church has been placed in an abject position under the heel of the Government.

SERIAL STORY

ELUSIVE ISABEL

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CHAPTER I.

Miss Isabel Thorne.

All the world rubs elbows in Washington. Outwardly it is merely a city of evasion, of conventionalities, sated with the commonplace pleasures of life, listless, blasé even, and always exquisitely, albeit frigidly, courteous; but beneath the still, suave surface strange currents play at cross purposes, intrigue is endless, and the merciless war of diplomacy goes on unceasingly. Occasionally, only occasionally, a bubble comes to the surface, and when it bursts the echo goes crashing around the earth. Sometimes a dynasty is shaken, a nation trembles, a ministry topples over; but the ripple moves and all is placid again. No man may know all that happens there, for then he would be diplomatic master of the world.

"There is plenty of red blood in Washington," remarked a jesting legislative gray-beard, once upon a time, "but it's always frozen before they put it in circulation. Diplomatic negotiations are conducted in the drawing-room, but long before that the fight is fought down cellar. The diplomats meet at table and there isn't any broken crockery, but you can always tell what the player thinks of the dealer by the way he draws three cards. Everybody is after results, and lots of monarchs of Europe sit up nights polishing their crowns waiting for word from Washington."

So, this is Washington! And here at dinner are the diplomatic representatives of all the nations. That is the British ambassador, that stolid-faced, distinguished-looking, elderly man; and this is the French ambassador, dapper, voluble, plus-correct; here Russia's highest representative was a huge, blond beard; and yonder is the phlegmatic German ambassador. Scattered around the table, brilliant spots of color, are the uniformed envoys of the Orient—the smaller the country the more brilliant the splotch. It is a state dinner, to be followed by a state ball, and they are all present.

The Italian ambassador, Count di Rosini, was trying to interpret a French bon mot into English for the benefit of the dainty, doll-like wife of the Chinese minister—who was educated at Radcliffe—when a servant leaned over him and laid a sealed envelope beside his plate. The count glanced around at the servant, excused himself to Mrs. Quong Li Wei, and opened the envelope. Inside was a single sheet of embassy note paper, and a terse line signed by his secretary:

"A lady is waiting for you here. She says she must see you immediately, on a matter of the greatest importance."

The count read the note twice, with wrinkled brow, then scribbled on it in pencil:

"Impossible to-night. Tell her to call at the embassy to-morrow morning at half-past ten o'clock."

He folded the note, handed it to the servant, and resumed his conversation with Mrs. Wei.

Half an hour later the same servant placed a second sealed envelope beside his plate. Recognizing the superscription, the ambassador impatiently shoved it aside, intending to disregard it. But irritated curiosity finally triumphed, and he opened it. A white card on which was written this command was his reward:

"It is necessary that you come to the embassy at once."

There was no signature. The handwriting was unmistakably that of a woman, and just as unmistakably strange to him. He frowned a little as he stared at it wonderingly, then idly turned the card over. There was no name on the reverse side—only a crest. Evidently the count recognized this, for his impassive face reflected surprise for an instant, and this was followed by a keen, bewildered interest. Finally he arose, made his apologies, and left the room. His automobile was at the door.

"To the embassy," he directed the chauffeur.

And within five minutes he was there. His secretary met him in the hall.

"The lady is waiting in your office," he explained apologetically. "I gave her your message, but she said she must see you and would write you a line herself. I sent it."

night, was a young woman, rather tall and severely gowned in some rich, glistening stuff which fell away sheerly from her splendid bare shoulders. She turned and he found himself looking into a pair of clear, blue-gray eyes, frank enough and yet in their very frankness possessing an alluring, indefinable subtlety. He would not have called her pretty, yet her smile, slight as it was, was singularly charming, and there radiated from her a something—personality, perhaps—which held his glance. He bowed low, and closed the door.

"I am at your service, Madam," he said in a tone of deep respect. "Please pardon my delay in coming to you."

"It is unfortunate that I didn't write the first note," she apologized graciously. "It would at least have saved a little time. You have the card?"

He produced it silently, crest down, and handed it to her. She struck a match, lighted the card, and it crumbled up in her gloved hand. The last tiny scrap found refuge in a silver tray, where she watched it burn to ashes, then she turned to the ambassador with a brilliant smile. He was still standing.

"The dinner isn't over yet?" she inquired.

"No, Madam, not for another hour, perhaps."

"Then there's no harm done," she went on lightly. "The dinner isn't of any consequence, but I should like very much to attend the ball afterward. Can you arrange it for me?"

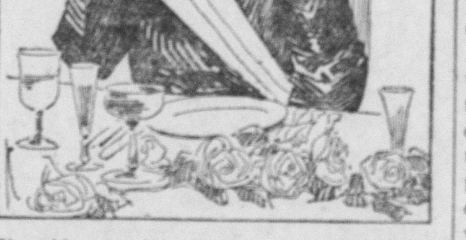
"I don't know just how I would proceed, Madam," the ambassador objected diffidently. "It would be rather unusual, difficult, I may say, and—"

"But surely you can arrange it some way?" she interrupted demurely. "The highest diplomatic representative of a great nation should not find it difficult to arrange so simple a matter as—"

"Pardon me for suggesting it, Madam," the ambassador persisted courteously, "but anything out of the usual attracts attention in Washington. I dare say, from the manner of your appearance to-night, that you would not care to attract attention to yourself."

She regarded him with an enigmatic smile.

"I'm afraid you don't know women, Count," she said slowly, at last. "There's nothing dearer to a woman's heart than to attract attention to herself."



The Handwriting Was Unmistakably That of a Woman.

self." She laughed—a throaty, silvery note that was charming. "And if you hesitate now, then to-morrow—why, to-morrow I am going to ask that you open to me all this Washington world—this brilliant world of diplomatic society. You see what I ask now is simple."

The ambassador was respectfully silent and deeply thoughtful for a time. There was, perhaps, something of resentment struggling within him, and certainly there was an uneasy feeling of rebellion at this attempt to thrust him forward against all precedent.

"Your requests are of so extraordinary a nature that—" he began in courteous protestation.

There was no trace of impatience in the woman's manner; she was still smiling.

"It is necessary that I attend the ball tonight," she explained, "you may imagine how necessary when I say I sailed from Liverpool six days ago, reaching New York at half-past three o'clock this afternoon; and at half-past four I was on my way here. I have been here less than one hour. I came from Liverpool especially that I might be present; and I even dressed on the train so there would be no delay. Now do you see the necessity of it?"

Diplomatic procedure is a long-winded grooves, and the diplomatist who steps out of the rut for an instant happens upon strange and unexpected obstacles. Knowing this, the ambassador still hesitated. The woman apparently understood.

"I had hoped that this would not be necessary," she remarked, and she produced a small, sealed envelope. "Please read it."

The ambassador received the envelope with uplifted brows, opened it and read what was written on a folded sheet of paper. Some subtle working of his brain brought a sudden change in the expression of his face. There was wonder in it, and amazement, and more than these. Again he bowed low.

"I am at your service, Madam," he repeated. "I shall take pleasure in making any arrangements that are necessary. Again, I beg your pardon."

"And it will not be so very difficult, after all, will it?" she inquired, and she smiled tauntingly.

"It will not be at all difficult, Madam," the ambassador assured her gravely. "I shall take steps at once to have an invitation issued to you for to-night; and to-morrow I shall be

pleased to proceed as you may suggest."

She nodded. He folded the note, replaced it in the envelope and returned it to her with another deep bow. She drew her skirts about her and sat down; he stood.

"It will be necessary for your name to appear on the invitation," the ambassador went on to explain. "If you give me your name I'll have my secretary—"

"Oh, yes, my name," she interrupted gaily. "Why, Count, you embarrass me. You know, really, I have no name. Isn't it awkward?"

"I understand perfectly, Madam," responded the count. "I should have said a name."

She meditated a moment.

"Well, say—Miss Thorne—Miss Isabel Thorne," she suggested at last. "That will do very nicely, don't you think?"

"Very nicely, Miss Thorne," and the ambassador bowed again. "Please excuse me a moment, and I'll give my secretary instructions how to proceed. There will be a delay of a few minutes."

He opened the door and went out. For a minute or more Miss Thorne sat perfectly still, gazing at the blank wooden panels, then she rose and went to the window again. In the distance, hazy in the soft night, the dome of the capitol rose mistily; over to the right was the congressional library, and out there where the lights sparkled lay Pennsylvania Avenue, a thread of commerce. Miss Thorne saw it all, and suddenly stretched out her arms with an all-enveloping gesture. She stood so for a minute, then they fell beside her, and she was motionless.

Count di Rosini entered.

"Everything is arranged, Miss Thorne," he announced. "Will you go with me in my automobile, or do you prefer to go alone?"

"I'll go alone, please," she answered at a moment. "I shall be there about eleven."

The ambassador bowed himself out. And so Miss Isabel Thorne came to Washington.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

RETURN OF THE PILGRIMS

Interesting Ceremonial When the Escort of the Sacred Carpet Gets Back to Cairo.

Yesterday morning, writes the Cairo correspondent of the Queen, was devoted to watching the ceremonial return of the Mahmal and its attendant escort of soldiers and pilgrims from Mecca. The sacred kiawe or carpet which is the annual tribute from Cairo and which journeyed to Mecca with the pilgrims, has now taken its place as the covering of the Kaaba, while that which it replaced has already been divided as valuable mementos among the faithful.

The ceremony of the return of the pilgrims as that of their departure is celebrated in the great Place Mohamed Ali, below the ramparts of the citadel, the square being outlined with Egyptian troops. The khedive was present of course yesterday with all his ministers and staff, and many of the European notables and a tremendous concourse of less important spectators were present to view the ceremony.

The departure of the Mahmal took place so early in November that but few visitors were in the place to witness it, and as the Mohammedan calendar is nearly a fortnight shorter than ours, before long this interesting annual event will be relegated to the days of the early autumn, whereat the European element still is deprived of one of the few remaining purely Egyptian festivals. Statistics from Mecca this year state the number of pilgrims at the enormous figure of 90,051, out of which Egypt accounted for no less than 15,619.

Precocious Infant.

William Lyon Phelps tells this story about Robert Louis Stevenson, as illustrating the cosmopolitanism of Russian character, which Professor Phelps says is accountable, in a measure, for the international effect and influence of Russian novels. Stevenson, writing from Mentone to his mother, 7 January, 1874, said:

"We have two little Russian girls, with the youngest of whom, a little polyglot button of a three-year-old, I had the most laughable scene at lunch today."

She said something in Italian which made everybody laugh very much. . . . after some examination, she announced emphatically to the whole table, in German, that I was a madchen. . . . This hasty conclusion as to my sex she was led afterward to revise. . . . but her opinion . . . was announced in a language quite unknown to me, and probably Russian. To complete the scroll of her accomplishments . . . she said good-by to me in very commendable English. Three days later, Stevenson added, "The little Russian kid is only two and a half; she speaks six languages."

Woman National Bank Cashier.

Miss E. M. Boynton has been elected cashier of the Bay Side, N. Y., National bank at a salary of \$2,500 a year. Miss Boynton came from her home in the west to take a place as bookkeeper in a store at Bay Side. When the Bay Side National bank was organized she became assistant cashier and of late had filled the cashier's place. Mrs. Minnie V. Trickey, president of the Commercial State bank of Rosedale, Kan., for several years, has been re-elected for another year. Mrs. Trickey is also city treasurer of Rosedale. Mrs. Ella Dodd is said to be the only woman bank director in Delaware. She is a director and one of the principal stockholders in the Lewes National bank. Mrs. Dodd is the owner and manager of several prosperous farms.

TOO MUCH OF A BATH

SWIMMERS UTTERLY UNABLE TO APPRECIATE JOKE.

Tyson and Botts, Kept in Water for Hours by Two Fool Friends, Emerged Therefrom in Most Unchristianlike Mood.

They take boarders out at Dr. Jones', and among them are Messrs. Tyson and Botts, two young men who are engaged in business in the city.

One day in July, after supper, Tyson and Botts went down to the creek to take a swim. As soon as they left the house, two or three of the other fellows hinted that it would be a good joke for two of them to dress in women's clothes and go over and scare Tyson and Botts.

So several of them borrowed some skirts and hats and other female fixings, and, after assuming them, started toward the creek.

The two swimmers saw them coming and began to paddle up stream to get out of their way. The female figures came nearer and took seats on the bank of the stream, so close to the clothes of the swimmers that there was no chance at all for Tyson and Botts to sneak out and dress themselves hurriedly. And the supposed women sat there in the most aggravating manner, while Tyson and Botts stayed in the water shivering.

Presently they got up to go, the swimmers thought; but, to the horror of the latter, they perceived the women got into a boat and began to paddle up stream. They went very slowly, and so Tyson and Botts had time enough to swim farther up, in order to get out of the way.

The boat followed them up for about a mile, and then Tyson concluded to do something to explain the situation to the ladies. He was beginning to feel sick.

Accordingly he shouted at the top of his voice, and Botts shouted; but those idiotic women still continued to pull up stream. The swimmers were almost crazy, and at last they made a dash for the bank and hid behind the bushes.

Then the women in the boat turned round and began to row down the stream. Botts and Tyson got in the water again and swam after the boat. The women landed close by their clothes, and, to the amazement of the swimmers, picked them up and began to walk off with them. Then Tyson and Botts became excited and swam in close to the shore to hulloa at the women, and then the women began to laugh, and the victims of the joke saw just how it was.

When they emerged from the water they didn't join in the merriment. They seemed gloomy and sad. As soon as Botts got his shirt on he went up to Peters and shook his fist under his nose, and said:

"You red-headed idiot. I've got a notion to bang the liver out of you! Oh, you may laugh, but if you ever try any of your jokes on me again I'll murder you! Now, you mind me!"

Tyson and Botts will board elsewhere next summer.—New York Weekly.

The Peasant's View.

One of Lord Desborough's best anecdotes relates to a clergyman who was far more at home in the hunting field than in the pulpit, says Tit-Bits. On the morning of a meet he was much annoyed at having to officiate at a funeral, but this over, he mounted his horse and started in pursuit of his friends. On the road he sought information of an old woman with a donkey cart.

"Well," she said, "if you ride to the top of the hill you will come to a 'meenlater'; then, if you turn to the right, you will be likely to come up with them."

Handling her a shilling, he said: "My good woman, why did you call the signpost a minister?"

"Why, you see, sir, it's like this: we used to call 'em signposts, but since you've been in these parts we calls 'em meenlsters, 'cos though they points other folks the way, they never goes themselves. Go on, Neddy."

Canadian Heroine.

"Monument to Madeline de Vercheres to be erected at Vercheres—\$15,000." This item, which appears for the first time this year in the estimates of the public works department, marks the tardy recognition by Canada of one of the heroines of French Canadian history—the maid of fourteen, who for one long week in 1692 defended her father's seigniory against the attacks of hostile Iroquois. After two centuries the little heroine of the Castle Dangerous is to have her memory perpetuated by a bronze statue to be erected at Vercheres, P. Q., on the spot made memorable by her exploit.

Sartorial.

"Did you ever try a London tailor, Binks?" asked Witherbee.

"Yes—once, but never again," said Binks. "Why, Bill, I don't believe one of those London tailors could make a coat of paint fit a hen coop."—Harper's Weekly.

His Count.

"How many children have you?" asked the census taker.

The man addressed removed the pipe from his mouth, scratched his head, thought it over a moment, and then said:

"Five—four living and one married."

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

DEMOCRATIC.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce that Arthur B. Binkley, of Huston township, is a candidate for the office of sheriff, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic primaries to be held September 30.

We are authorized to announce that D. J. Glinery, of Huston township, is a candidate for the office of sheriff subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries to be held on September 30.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce that John H. Lemon, of Ferguson township, is a candidate for the office of Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce that John H. Bunkle, of Foster township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic party.

We are requested to announce that John L. Dunlap will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of the county as expressed at the primaries to be held September 30, 1924.

We are authorized to announce that William A. Stover, of Penn township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the primaries of the Democratic party on September 30.

We are authorized to announce that William H. Noll, of Pleasant Gap, in Spring township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries to be held September 30.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Treasurer of Centre county, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries to be held September 30.

We are authorized to announce that John D. Miller, of Walker township, is a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce that Frank W. Frebe, of Phillipsburg Borough, is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries to be held September 30.

We are authorized to announce that J. Frank Smith, of Centre Hall Borough, is a candidate for Registrar, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

FOR RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce that D. A. Dietrich, of Walker township, will be a candidate for the office of Recorder of Centre county, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of the county as expressed at the general primaries to be held Saturday, September 30.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce that J. M. Ketchline is a candidate for the office of District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce that J. Kennedy Johnston, of Bellefonte, is a candidate for the office of District Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election to be held September 30.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.

We are authorized to announce that D. R. Foreman, of the Borough of Bellefonte, is a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

REPUBLICAN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

TO EDITOR REPORTER—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held Sept. 30, 1924.

JACOB WOODRICK, Port Matilda, Pa.

TO EDITOR REPORTER—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held Sept. 30, 1924.

HARRY E. ZIMMERMAN, Springtownship, Formerly of Benner township.

FOR REG. TER.

TO EDITOR REPORTER—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Registrar of Centre county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held Sept. 30, 1924.

EDWARD J. WILLIAMS, Unionville, Pa.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1911.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning.
Pine Swamp—Services Sunday afternoon at 2:30, by Dr. W. H. Schuyler.

Lutheran—Centre Hall, morning; Georges Valley, afternoon; Union, evening.

Methodist—Centre Hall, morning; Spruce town, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening. Preaching and communion at all appointments by Dr. B. C. Connor, district superintendent. The second quarterly conference will be held at Spring Mills, Saturday, at 3 p. m.

AUTOMOBILE WRECK.

Causes Death of George William Wolf, of Fiedler, in Green Burr Gap.

George William Wolf, merchant, farmer and lumberman, of Fiedler, was killed in an automobile wreck on Sunday, while passing through Green Burr Gap, three-fourths of a mile southeast of Green Burr. He was aged fifty-nine years, and actively engaged in business, giving most of his attention to lumbering. In the mercantile business he was associated with his son-in-law, H. Edward Glantz. Interment was made at Woodward, on Wednesday, services having been held at his late home by the local pastor of the Evangelical church of which denomination the deceased was a member.

The surviving members of the family are three sons and one daughter, namely, Sumner J., Howard; Charles, Aronsburg; Thomas G., Woodward; and Mrs. H. Edward Glantz. Mrs. Wolf died within the past year.

One of Mr. Wolf's greatest pleasures was to drive the automobile of which he became the owner some time ago. Regardless of his physical condition he handled the machine with considerable skill. On Sunday he and Mr. and Mrs. Glantz and their three children, and Miss Helen Vongonder started for Sugar Valley. The trip to Green Burr Gap was uneventful, but on reaching a point just beyond a bridge the machine stopped dead. Just what happened the occupants are unable to tell, but suddenly the machine ran backward, and at the bridge went over an embankment eight feet high, causing the car to turn turtle. It appears the steering wheel struck Mr. Wolf, causing his death. None of the other occupants of the car, strange to say, were injured, although all of the party, except Mr. Glantz, were in it when it turned the somersault.

Mr. Wolf had a large acquaintance in the eastern sections of Pennsylvania and Brush Valleys, and his funeral was one of the largest held in that portion of the county for some time.

Birthday Party.

Friday of last week being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. G. L. Goodhart, a number of ladies spent the day very pleasantly at her home. Those present were Dr. Edith Schadt, Mrs. (Dr.) Ward, Mrs. (Dr.) Kirk, Mrs. (Dr.) Tuten, Mrs. E. L. Gettig, Mrs. James Barnhart, all of Bellefonte; Mrs. Cole, of Lewisburg; Mrs. Joseph Palmer, of Lewisburg; Mrs. D. W. Geiss and daughter Martha, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Daniel Daup, Mrs. J. B. Strohm, Mrs. Ammon Burkholder, and Mrs. J. C. Goodhart, of Centre Hall; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith, of Millheim. A sumptuous dinner was prepared by Mrs. Goodhart and Mrs. Geiss. The day was spent in a social way and the ladies from a distance left for their respective homes on the evening train. While here they made many flattering comments in referring to the homes in Centre Hall, and also expressed themselves as having had a most enjoyable day with Mrs. Goodhart.

Much Money For Townships.

Cheer to \$600,000 will be distributed to townships of Pennsylvania within the next month in payment of the allowance which the state makes to those which abolish the work tax on roads under the terms of the act of 1907. The warrants are now being drawn at the State Highway Department, the money being made available by Governor Tener's approval of the bill carrying that sum a week ago.

Campbell Picken.

The marriage of Robert C. Campbell, one of the members of the firm of Campbell Brothers, proprietors of Penna Cave, and Miss Edith M. Picken, daughter of Rev. William R. Picken, pastor of the High Street Methodist Church, Williamsport, will take place this (Thursday) evening at five o'clock. The wedding will be an elaborate affair, a number of invitations having been issued.

Marriage Licenses.

Thomas F. Leitzell, Spring Mills
Mabel M. Hoy, Spring Mills
Walter J. Watson, Fleming
Nannie M. Tate, Fleming
H. F. Bitner, Centre Hall
Agnes Murray, Centre Hall
John I. Way, Stormtown
Mrs. Anna Grossmire, Stormtown
Robert C. Campbell, Penna Cave
Edith M. Picken, Williamsport

WIN TWO EXCITING GAMES.

Centre Hall Defeats Central City 3 to 2, and Takes Millheim Into Camp by the Score of 1 to 0 in Thirteen Innings.

Saturday afternoon Centre Hall defeated the strong nine of Central City at that place by the score of 3 to 2, in a game of baseball that for excitement rivaled those played in the big leagues. From the first inning it became evident that the game would be a pitcher's battle, and this was proven from the fact that in nine innings but seven safe hits were made—the home team connecting safely but three times but these came at opportune moments and, to a great extent, tell the story of the victory. Smith, with his speed and good control, mowed the enemy down in one, two, three order in almost every inning but the third, in which Central City scored their only runs. Allison, behind the bat, caught a clever game and his catch of a high foul ball was made a la Dooin. Woodring, the Central City pitcher, while he lacked speed, yet threw such elusive curve balls that it was practically impossible to drive the sphere out of the infield. Not until the seventh inning was it possible to score and from then on until the opening of the ninth the score read: Central City 2, Centre Hall 1. With the head of the batting order up, the visitors went after the game with a do-or-die spirit, and before the third out was registered, had crossed the home plate twice. Central City was just as determined to start a rally in their last half, but Smith put on extra speed and when the last batter put up a fly to the right of the pitcher, Smith almost destroyed the shape of the ball when he squeezed it as though it were in a vise.

The score by innings:

Centre Hall—0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2—3
Central City—0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—2

THIRTEEN INNINGS, 1-0.

In the most remarkable game of baseball ever played on the local diamond, Centre Hall defeated Millheim on Memorial Day by the score of 1 to 0, in thirteen innings.

The good work done by the home club this season has made them a team to be feared and for this reason Millheim put the best in the field that was possible for her to produce. Kidder, of Rebersburg, did the mound duty for the visitors and for nine innings pitched a strong game, but after the legal number of innings had been played he showed signs of weakening and it was but a matter of an opportune time presenting itself for the home team to win by producing the necessary hit. This came in the thirteenth inning. Paul Bradford was first up and hit a single through short; Bailey was hit by a pitched ball; both advanced a base on a passed ball and the former scored the winning run when William Bradford hit a single over shortstop's head. Smith undoubtedly pitched the best game of his career. Time and again when runners were on bases and but one out, Millheim seemed sure to score, but he never lost his head and riveted his attention solely on the batter, and caused him either to strike out or lift a weak fly. The most exciting moment occurred in the ninth inning, when Millheim had the bases loaded and none out. When Smith retired the next three batters in one, two, three order, the noise that broke forth from the spectators was deafening. With renewed energy Centre Hall put up a better game both on the offensive and defensive until victory came.

In the thirteen innings Smith allowed the visitors but four hits, and struck out twenty-one batters, while eight safe swats were gathered off Kidder and fourteen fell victims to strikes.

It was a most fitting day for such a game to be played, for while other games will be forgotten in time, Tuesday's game will be held in memory by all who were so fortunate as to witness it.

Colyer.

Miss Helen Bodtford will spend the summer at the home of John Slack. Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Palmer spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bodtford.

Mrs. Ruth Dippert and sons spent a few days with Mrs. Edward Horner, of near Peru.

Samuel Brown, of Mifflin county, is a visitor at the William Reiber home. Miss Carolina McCloskey, of Potters Mills, is sewing at the home of G. R. Meese.

Children's day service will be held in the Evangelical church, June 11th. George Thomas, of New York, spent a week with his parents at this place.

Miss Annie Fahringer returned home after spending a few days with friends at Boalsburg and also attending the Breen-Lee wedding.

The party held at the home of C. S. Thomas was well attended, about thirty-three having been present. After partaking of the elegant refreshments, all returned home, having enjoyed the evening very much.

It is worse than unless to take any medicines internally for muscular or chronic rheumatism. All that is needed is a free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

SAW MILL AT WADDLES BURNED.

The McNitt-Huyett Lumber Company Had Great Loss Sunday Night.

A fire causing a loss of between \$12,000 to \$15,000 to the McNitt-Huyett Lumber Company occurred at Waddles Sunday night, when the large and complete saw mill of that company was totally destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown. There was \$5000 insurance.

After twelve o'clock the watchman and another man went to the engine house, nearby the mill, to get it ready for its morning's run. They had only been there for a short time, when a light was observed on the mill, but before they could reach it, the flames had spread, and in a few moments the entire plant was a mass of flames.

The alarm brought a hundred men to the mill, and it was with the greatest difficulty that the flames were confined to the mill proper. The "dinky" had been fired up, and this was run out, and with hose attached proved very serviceable.

The fire cannot be accounted for, as there was no fire in the mill engine.

In the yard there are about one million feet of lumber and fifteen car loads of staves. The mill was erected two years ago. The investment of the company in the mill, equipment, residences, etc., in addition to the timber tract, that was in reach of the flames, represented an investment of between \$45,000 and \$50,000.

DEATHS.

At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clara Zerbe, State College, Mrs. Ma-linda Rishel quietly passed away on Thursday of last week. She was aged eighty years, seven months and twenty-five days. There survive her four sons and two daughters, namely: Irs Rishel, Boalsburg; Oscar and Joseph Rishel, Oak Hall, and William Rishel, Lemont; Mrs. Alma C. Miller, Pine Grove, and Mrs. Zerbe. She was ailing for a month or more and knew that her end was approaching and was prepared for the final summons. She was a lifelong member of the Reformed church. Funeral services were conducted in the Reformed church at Boalsburg, Rev. S. C. Stover officiating. Interment was made in the Boalsburg cemetery.

LOCALS.

Branch Company No. 7 & 8, of the Patrons Rural Telephone Company, will hold its annual picnic at Rhonemede, Saturday, June 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lutz attended the funeral of Elizabeth Lohr, last week. The aunt for some years made her home with them in Centre Hall.

J. K. Johnston, Esq., auditor in the estate of William Boal, late of Potter township, publishes a notice setting a time for the distribution of funds, etc.

William A. Sandoe, Jr., of Ingram, came to Centre Hall Wednesday of last week and remained until Saturday. He was on his way back from Williamsport, where he attended the convocation of the Grand Commandery of Pennsylvania, Knights Templar.

Last week, Mr. and Mrs. William Fetterolf, of near Centre Hall, made a trip to Dauphin county, and at Grantville visited their uncle, Dr. C. E. Emerick, whom they report as having a fine practice, and travels the country in an auto. The crop conditions in that section are not so favorable owing to lack of moisture.

William H. Homan, east of Centre Hall, a few days ago, lost a pocket-book containing considerable money, somewhere between Benner's store and Fiesher's bridge, near Pine Grove school house, on the south side of Potter township. He will be glad to communicate with the finder.

The residence on the farm known as the Pennsylvania Furnace farm, at Baileyville, owned by George Irvin, was destroyed by fire Sunday morning, at nine o'clock, while Mr. Irvin was at the barn. The fire was first on the roof. Most of the furniture on the first floor was removed. The house had just undergone repairs. There was \$500 insurance on the house and \$400 on the furniture in a Williamsburg company. The loss was considerably more than the insurance.

The hail storm that passed over a portion of Potter township in the Tusseyville and Red Mill district, Tuesday of last week, did much more damage than was generally supposed in localities near by. On some farms the rye crops were totally destroyed, the stalks being broken off, and now the whole mass has turned yellow and is unfit for rye hay. Wheat was also badly damaged as was also clover. The fact that iron roofs were beaten full of holes indicates the force with which the hail fell. A large number of window lights were broken in the Red Mill, and some in almost every house. The hail stones were very large, one that was correctly measured by W. R. Neff being four inches in circumference. The damage on some farms is as much as \$300.

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If you have been buying your clothes from mail order houses, come to our store and see the suit we are offering this spring for \$15

No mail order house ever offered such high quality, all wool material, such fine workmanship, such splendid style as we show you for \$15 this year.

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We guarantee this suit absolutely. If for any reason it fails, you get a new garment free of charge in exchange.

Revolutionary - Body brought from some other country to Centre Hall - Michael Stern

Montgomery & Company

Crider's Exchange

Bellefonte, Pa.

Fruit Jar Free.

With the issue of the Sunday North American for June 4 there will be published a coupon entitling the holder to go to his nearest grocer and secure a one-quart Atlas E. Z. Seal Jar absolutely free.

Strawberries For Sale.

The undersigned will have on sale within ten days choice strawberries. Orders solicited. Write or call over either telephone. Prices reasonable.

GEORGE R. MEISS, Colyer.

1000 Cockerels For Sale.

The undersigned offers for sale one thousand young White Leghorn cockerels, in lots of one hundred or more, at ten cents each. They must go at once to make room.

CHARLES D. BARTHOLOMEW, Centre Hall, Pa.

Spring Mills.

Dr. Schuyler preached a very interesting memorial sermon to an appreciative audience on Sunday.

Misses Anna Cummings and Emma Bones are engaged in sewing at State College this week.

Miss Bessie Grove is home from Philadelphia on her vacation.

Mrs. Hanna, mother Mrs. of C. E. Royer, is very ill.

T. M. Gramley and Jacob Lee have purchased automobiles.

Mrs. S. G. Walker has been quite ill for the past few days.

Miss Miriam Long, a student in the Lock Haven State Normal School, was home for Decoration.

Deputy Prothonotary D. R. Foreman was in Centre Hall over Sunday, guests of his sisters.

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Potatoes	40	Eggs	14

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Barley	65	Oats	30
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AUDITOR'S NOTICE—In the matter of estate of William Boal, late of Potter township, deceased.
The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre county, to make distribution of the funds in the hands of William R. Mingle, administrator of William Boal, deceased, and among those legally entitled to receive the same and to hear testimony and determine the rights and title of all claimants to the said estate, will meet all parties in interest to perform the duties of his appointment at his office No. 3, East High Street, Bellefonte, Friday, June 16th, 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M., where and when all parties are hereby notified to appear and prove their claims or be forever barred from coming in on the said funds.
J. KENNEDY JOHNSTON, Auditor
June 15

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R. D. FOREMAN, Centre Hall, Pa.

See issue of
The Centre Hall, Pa. June 4, 1925.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Graves of the Heroes of the Field of War
Once More Decorated.

All over this wide free land the graves of those who battled for its freedom were again decorated on Memorial Day. These services generally were participated in by the children, the purpose being to impress them with the great sacrifices made to obtain this freedom we enjoy to-day. Praise unstinted was given these who in the vigor of their life heard the call to arms and heeded.

At Centre Hall, as elsewhere, the usual Memorial Day program was executed. The speaker here was Rev. J. Max Lautz, who spoke in the Methodist church. Prayer was offered by Dr. W. H. Schuyler, and the singing was by the children, with Prof. P. H. Meyer as leader, ex-sheriff Brungart having the entire program in charge.

On behalf of the Daughters of the Revolution, the Reporter extends thanks to Mrs. John G. King, Misses Gertrude Flory and Mabel Sharer for the flowers contributed to decorate the graves of Revolutionary soldiers lying at Indian Lane and the Pennington cemetery, outlying posts, visited on Memorial Day by the Centre Reporter force.

Following is a list of soldiers buried in the several cemeteries on the south side of Centre county:

CIVIL WAR SOLDIERS.

Simon Wolf William Booser
Adam N. Kishner William Bible
Simon Harper Reuben Stump
W. A. Jacobs Amos Parker
Samuel Shannon W. P. Shoop
John Odenkirk James McClenahan
Philo Flory William Horner
Jerry Shreffler Andrew Gregg
Michael Krumbine James Foster
John Heine Michael Dentine
George W. Sweeney William Mayben
G. W. Koch John B. Mayben
Lewis Sunday Dan Schlotman

1812 SOLDIERS.

William Horner
John Foreman

NAPOLEONIC SOLDIER.

Charles Peterson

MEMBER OF NATIONAL GUARD.

Robert Murray

NAVAL CADET.

William Dinges

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR SOLDIER.

John Thomas

REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS BURIED IN INDIAN LANE.

Thomas Van Doran Jacob Shadacre

PLUM GROVE-POTTER TWP.

(c) James Huston

BURIED AT SPRUCETOWN.

Jacob Bechdel Miles Ketner
Frank Burris Solomon Luse
Seth Benner Joseph McClenahan
Ezra Britton Joseph Newman
John Crothwait Samuel Peters
G. C. Cadwallader John Peters
Henry Crawford John Pennington
Harrison Faust Amos Sweetwood
William Hewes David Shires
Pierce Hartman Reuben Shirk
Benjamin Jacobs Daniel K. Shaffer
Samuel Kelley John Wilkison
Lot Ketner Samuel McClenahan
George Ketner D. R. Stonchaker
Samuel Strong H. P. Sankey
Speer Palmer (a) Sergeant Ambaugh

BURIED AT TURKEYVILLE.

Jacob Rocky Little
Jonas Moore (b) Henry R. Smith
George Shaffer Daniel Horner
Samuel Wingard Joseph Kretzler
John Ditzell John Boal
(c) Jacob Rhone (b) Peter Fleisher
(c) Michael Stiver

BURIED AT CENTRE HILL.

E. E. McMin Woods
Thomas Davis Thomas I. Davis
Jeremiah Sankey (a) John Brislin

AARONSBURG.

John Minnich Henry Crouse
Jonah Wolf H. H. Weaver
Jack Sylvie John Shunk
George M. Rupp J. G. Korte
Joseph George Jacob Fisher
M. M. Musser W. R. Burd
Joseph Hersh Reuben Rupp
Daniel Holloway David Acker
Charles Condo Jacob Ketner
T. G. Edmunds John W. Hatley
Charles Fryer Samuel Taylor
Frederick Limbert (a) David Corman
(a) George Bright (a) Two unknown

WOLFS CHAPEL, HAINES TWP.

Jacob Lettzel Andrew Musser
Earl Lettzel Daniel Miller
George Lettzel Solomon Winkler
(c) Stover
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James M. Royer Charles H. Winters
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(c) Isaac Ruhl Henry Wolf
(c) Philip Moyer Matthias Snook
George Kremer Rev. F. B. Wolf
George Fehl Levi Strayer
Simon P. Wolf Philip Woodling
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(c) Henry Moyer William Weight
(c) William Hynsel (c) John McCamont

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Daniel E. Shaffer (a) Daniel Weaver
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John Meyers Israel Condo
Amos Meyers John C. Wason
George Ishler Thomas Hess
J. N. Dinges Emmanuel Wolf
Henry Houtz George Saucerman
Reuben Hunter Isaac Woomey
Daniel Sowers David Gilbert
William Mayes James Harpham
Jacob Fox Jonathan Kremer, bugler
George D. Smith Adam Hess, color bearer
Isiah Coxey Andrew Whitehill
Dr. J. F. Woods Dr. C. P. W. Fisher
Thomas Riley Christian Baumgardner
Daniel Shuey John Tresaler
Two graves marked unknown

PLACE OF BURIAL UNKNOWN.

Lot Crothwait William Shaffer
Ezra Benner William Shires
William Faust Isaac Sweetwood
Robert Potts
(a) War of 1812 (b) Mexican War
(c) Revolutionary War

The Sanity of Paris.

The French live within their means and by a sense of economy wholly unknown to us manage to save and retire to enjoy whatever fortune has stored up for them, says F. Berkeley Smith in Success Magazine. To them France is sufficient. They voyage rarely and gamble less. The spendthrift or the man who plunges on the bourse, the races and the gaming table is regarded by the masses in the light of a rogue and a fool. The Parisians work hard enough for their leisure, but they never eliminate it nor allow their work to encroach upon their traditional daily vacation, as luncheon, the aperitif hour, dinner and fete days. They work, not to amass millions and die in harness, but to have enough to give their daughter her dot, without which she may never marry; start their son in his chosen trade and have enough income left to retire before they are too old to enjoy their freedom.

Old and Modern Customs.

Palm Sunday in certain places is called "Fig Sunday" from the custom of eating figs on this day, as snapdragons on Christmas eve, plum pudding on Christmas day, oranges and barley sugar on St. Valentine's eve, pancakes on Shrove Tuesday, salt cod fish on Ash Wednesday, frumenty on "Mothering Sunday" (mid-Lent), cross buns on Good Friday, gooseberry tart on Whitsunday, goose on Michaelmas day, nuts on Allhallowes, and so on.—New York American.

Leading the Leader.

A very small boy was trying to lead a big St. Bernard dog up the road. "Where are you going to take the dog, my little man?" inquired a passer-by. "I'm going to see where—where he wants to go first," was the breathless reply.—Argonaut.

An Exceptional Case.

"What are you doing these days?" "Playing the horses." "No money in that." "Yes, there is. I get \$2 a night for imitating hoof beats in a melodrama."—Washington Herald.

Her Bad Habit.

"I don't like that woman." "Why not?" "She's the woman who is all the time teaching my wife a new way of serving up cold meat."—Detroit Free Press.

Integrity without knowledge is weak and useless, and knowledge without integrity is dangerous and dreadful.—Johnson.

A Strange Likeness.

An extraordinary resemblance has recently been discovered at the London Natural History Museum between a specimen of the huge African elephant and the pygmy shrew mouse. Sir E. Ray Lankester suggested comparison of the two, and the result has been that practically every bone, muscle, blood vessel and nerve of the giant beast has been found identically reproduced in the little animal, which is scarcely two inches in length. In the museum a stuffed mouse has been placed between the fore feet of its enormous mounted prototype for the purpose of showing the curious likeness.

Read Elusive Isabel.

PURE GLYCERIN.

It is a Queer Substance Endowed With Peculiar Properties.

One of the great advantages of glycerin in its chemical employment is the fact that it neither freezes nor evaporates under any ordinary temperature. No perceptible loss by evaporation has been detected at a temperature less than 200 degrees F., but if heated intensely it decomposes with a smell that few persons find themselves able to endure. It burns with a pale flame, similar to that from alcohol, if heated to about 300 degrees and then ignited. Its nonevaporative qualities make the compound of much use as a vehicle for holding pigments and colors, as in stamping and typewriter ribbons, carbon papers and the like.

If the pure glycerin be exposed for a long time to a freezing temperature it crystallizes with the appearance of sugar candy, but these crystals being once melted it is almost an impossibility to get them again into the congealed state. If a little water be added to the glycerin no crystallization will take place, though under a sufficient degree of cold the water will separate and form crystals, amid which the glycerin will remain in its natural state of fluidity. If suddenly subjected to intense cold pure glycerin will form a gummy mass which cannot be entirely hardened or crystallized. Altogether it is quite a peculiar substance.

DON'T GET TOO SEDATE.

Play Is as Good For Grown Persons as For Children.

Play is just as necessary to keep a grown man young and a middle aged man from growing old as it is to make a child grow into a man. Wordsworth's lines are as sound physiology as good poetry:

My heart leaps up when I behold
The rainbow in the sky,
So was it when my life began;
So be it when I am a man,
Or let me die.

In childhood we play because we are young, in middle age we are young because we play, and if we keep it up we shall never know that we are old until we are one day suddenly dead. Yet the absurd idea has grown up, and Mrs. Grundy has adopted it with her usual fatuousness, that play is something undignified in a grown man and unbecoming in a lady. And this unfortunately is one of the rare instances where "thinking makes it so." After a man has practiced this belief in the uselessness of exercise for half a decade or so and become fat and pompous and red faced or pale and slack muscled and short winded then the contentions that he indulges in when he decides to unbend and try to play furnish considerably more entertainment to spectators than to himself.—Dr. Woods Hutchinson in Outing.

In the Shadow of Fame.

There are a number of former celebrities who are now running rooming and boarding houses in New York city. Many a singer, actress or writer who formerly held a place in the public eye has now settled down to the prosaic occupation of housing and feeding a small portion of that same public. Their houses are a magnet for young persons with the artistic temperament. One woman who once enjoyed a fair reputation as a violinist has five furnished apartments which she sublets room by room to aspirants for dramatic, operatic and literary honors. Reflected glory rather than physical comfort is the portion of most of these satellites, but the privilege of hobnobbing with yesterday's greatness compensates for material discomfort.—New York Press.

Cicero on Wit.

There are witty sayings which carry a concealed suspicion of ridicule, of which sort is that of the Sicilian who, when a friend of his made lamentation to him saying that his wife had hanged herself upon a fig tree, said, "I beseech you give me some shoots of that tree that I may plant them." Of the same sort is what Crassus said to a certain bad orator who, when he imagined that he had excited compassion at the close of a speech, asked our friend here after he had sat down whether he appeared to have raised pity in the audience. "Very great pity," replied Crassus, "for I believe that there is no one here so hard hearted but that your speech seemed pitiable to him."—Cicero's Oratory.

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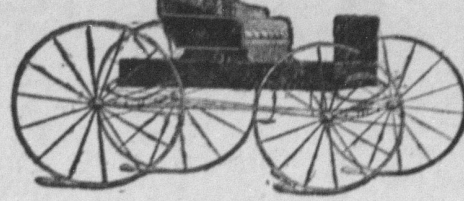
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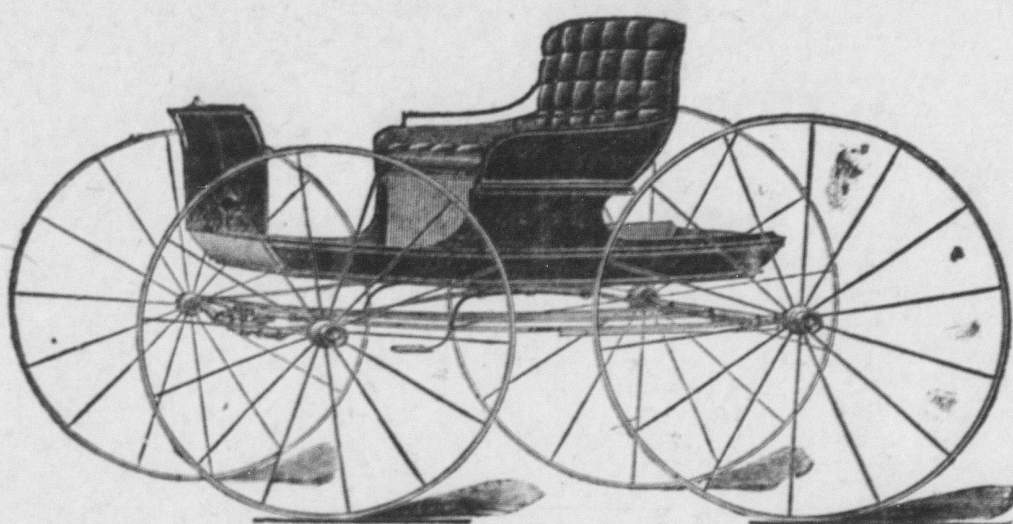
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KEEPING ANTS OUT OF HIVES

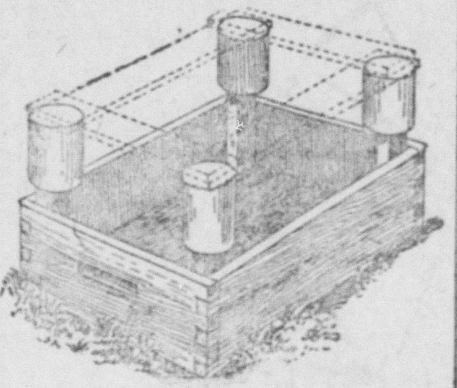
Ordinary Table Turned Upside Down With Empty Inverted Tomato Cans Will Do the Work.

To the numerous inquiries as to how to keep ants out of hives, why not take Josh Billings' advice as to bedbugs—"just kill 'em all"? The best way to kill ants is with the oft-repeated remedy, i. e., bisulphide of carbon. However, there are places which, for one reason or another, it is almost impracticable to kill off the ants; and then the apiarist needs a live-stand that will exclude them.

The illustration shows one of my live-stands complete and ready to have the hive placed upon it, writes J. M. Caldwell in the Gleanings in Bee Culture. It is nothing but a table turned upside down, and an empty tomato can, with the top melted off, inverted over each table-leg. The ants can crawl up the table-leg and all around on the inside of the can, but they cannot make the turn around the lower edge of the cans, and come up on the outside of cans and thus reach the hive.

The space between the table-leg and inside of cans must be at least half an inch; but the cans rest on the ends of the legs.

Just take an old super or box. Cut four pieces 2x2x12, and nail one in each corner. Round off the projecting edges, then melt the tops off from four



How to Make It.

tomato or peach cans (3-pound cans are best); then invert a can over each leg and nail cross-pieces on top to brace the legs with, and for the hive to rest on; but be very careful not to allow any holes in the sides of the cans that the ants can crawl through. This works on the same principle as the tin pans used on posts under corn-cobs to keep out mice—no patent on it either.

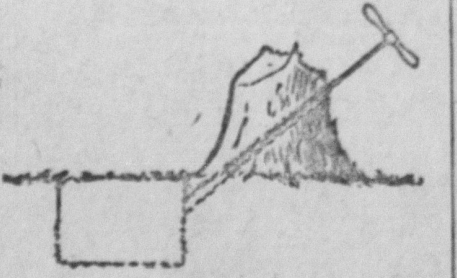
Putting the legs of the stand in basins of water or oil will drown the bees when the wind blows, and they miss the alighting-board and fall down at the corners. At one time I had fifty hives on stands with the stand-legs in water. I also tried oil.

Here is something which I have never seen in print. Ants carry out the queen, bees, and eggs from the cells.

TO REMOVE STUMPS EASILY

Where Time Is No Object Hole May Be Bored Through Center and Fire Built to Burn It.

An easy way to remove stumps, where time is not an object, is to dig a trench beside the stump and then to bore a diagonal hole through the stump so that the lower end of the hole will be near the top of the trench and the upper end some distance above the ground. Build a fire in the trench and partially cover it so that the flame will draw through the auger hole like it would through a flue. As soon as the fire is started a draft is created through the auger hole and this helps to fire the stump much more rapidly. This method requires no great equipment and will be found effective though it takes time. If one is so situated that he desires to clear a considerable area of stumps the use of the stump puller would be the more economical method although it may



A Stump Remover.

require considerable expenditure for the purchase or rental of the stump puller and the necessary teams and men. Of course, dynamite will do the work more quickly, but this is a very dangerous substance and should be used only by an expert.

Great Harvest Month.

July is the great harvest month in central and northern sections of our country. The hay crop promises to be good this season and oats are above the average in many places. It will pay to save all of them because they will bring good prices before next summer.

Care of the Lawn.

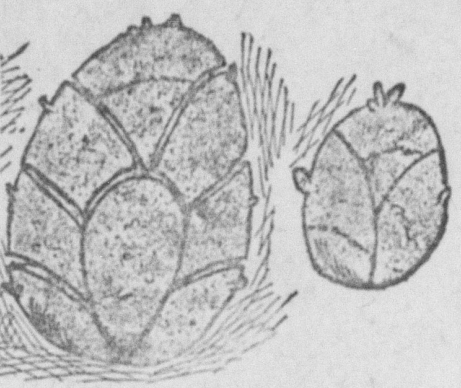
The charming appearance of a well-kept lawn appeals to every one. Some care is required to keep it in good condition; but nothing connected with the residence, inside or out, gives so large returns for such moderate outlay. The lawn mower must be used regularly.

LOOKING TO SEED POTATOES

Should Be Carefully Examined and Only Those Entirely Free From Disease Used.

(By R. G. WEATHERSTONE.)

Seed potatoes should be carefully examined for traces of dry rot. Only potatoes entirely free from disease should be planted, for diseased seed will be sure to grow a diseased crop. Dry rot shows as dark or black spots running through the potato from the stem end. Usually the stem end of the potato, when diseased, will show a sunken appearance around the stem. In any case the dark spots show in the tubers when cut across



How Seed Potatoes Are Cut.

near the stem end with a knife; in cases of bad infection, the black spots may run half way through the tubers. Where the infection is slight, it may occur only near the stem end. Of course, some of the tubers may be free from spots, and these are safe for planting on new land, but the disease lives over in the soil as well as in the tubers.

Where the disease has not penetrated more than one-third the length of the potato, the half of the potato toward the bud end may be used for seed with better promise. In such cases, the knife used for cutting should be dipped in a solution of corrosive sublimate, formaldehyde or carbolic acid after cutting diseased tubers, and before cutting others.

The usual seed treatment for scab, etc., will be very useful to kill dry-rot spores which may adhere to tubers and may be applied to the healthy portions after separation from the diseased parts of potatoes.

The means by which late blight is carried from place to place is the chief question which interests the shipper and planter of seed potatoes. This is restricted to tubers which show the dry rot. These carry the fungus in a semi-dormant state, which develops after the tuber is planted, and spreads to the leaves of the growing plants. The purchaser has the matter entirely in his own hands. If he insists on all sound tubers and plants, only such there will be no danger of introducing late blight with them.

Blight is probably never carried on the surface of the tubers.

Do Not Neglect Gardens.

The fact is notorious that the farmer's garden is not as well cared for as that of the artisan. In fact, it is in many instances entirely wanting. Usually the larger the farm the more insignificant the garden. The excuse given is that the farmer hasn't the time. The answer to this is clear. A good garden adds to the comfort and enjoyment of the farmer's family, and aids in promoting health. No farmer is justified in being so busy that he cannot furnish what is essential to the well being of his home.



The drains should be properly laid out and carefully graded.

Encourage the boy to fit some live stock to show at the local fair.

You give the weeds a big advantage if you let them go to seed.

The best fertilizer for asparagus is rotted manure from grain-fed horses.

The manure for peas, beans and onions should be fine, rich and well rotted.

Salt seems to add greatly to the palatability of tankage, whether fed dry or in slop.

Manure as well as fertilizers should be thoroughly mixed in the soil before drilling in the seed.

By sowing a pinch of lettuce seed every ten days there will always be tender salad for the table.

There is nothing about good tankage or meat that is in any way injurious to hogs of any ages.

The Peruvian guano substitute is the standard truck fertilizer for quick growth and heavy returns.

Rich horse manure and urine from grain-fed cattle is far superior to fertilizers and very much cheaper.

Truckers prefer rotted horse manure for vegetables, as it is finer, richer and can be spread easily.

A profitable crop cannot be grown on land deficient in humus, which is the same thing as rotted sod or rotted manure with fertilizer alone.

The loss incurred from plant diseases is often underestimated by the farmer, passes unrecognized or is regarded as natural and inevitable.

The size of tile to be placed in a drain will depend upon the length of the drain, the depth and the distance apart the drains are placed.

Expert truckers and market gardeners apply, in connection with manure spread in the drill or hill, 600 to 800 pounds of some standard bone phosphate to the acre.

THINKS DETROIT WILL WIN THIS YEAR



Manager Jim McAleer of Washington.

Manager Jim McAleer, of the Senators, is sweet on Detroit this season, to perform like the Cubs—come back and win their fourth flag.

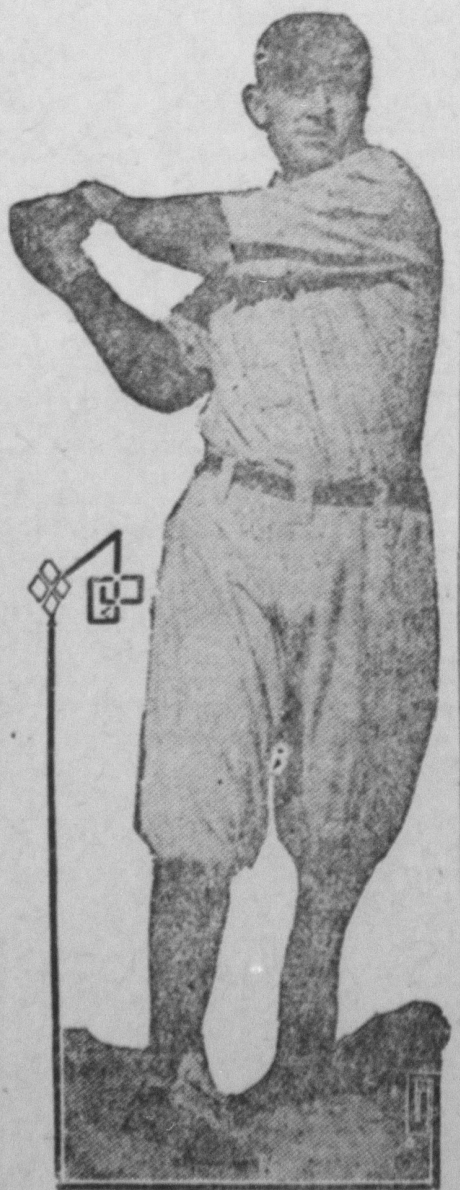
He figured it thusly in a recent conversation: "When Detroit won the three pennants she did it with a bum infield, one pitcher and a decrepit first baseman. One year the pitcher was Mullin, another Donovan, while Rossman and Tom Jones, never first-class first basemen, were on that bag."

TYRUS COBB IN VAUDEVILLE

Famous Tiger Player Has Received Many Tempting Offers to Go on Stage Next Winter.

It is not at all improbable that Ty Cobb may go on the stage next winter in a vaudeville act of some sort. Several managers have been after him to go on the boards and some of the offers made him have been attractive from a salary standpoint. Up to date, Ty's engagements have been such that he has passed up the vaudeville proposition, but next fall he will be ready to consider an offer.

Ty hasn't decided yet what sort of an act he will attempt. A monologue, baseball sketch, moving picture lecture and a number of other plans have been considered, but so far the Georgian hasn't been able to make up his mind just what he wants to do. There is no doubt that with any sort of an attractive act Cobb would be a great card in vaudeville, for hundreds of persons who would be willing to pay



Ty Cobb.

money just to see him before the footlights.

Cobb says that he has plenty of confidence, and that he believes he could get away with anything he attempted in the line of a vaudeville skit. He has been called upon for speeches in theaters on several occasions and has

"Look at it this year. Jim Delahanty is a good, splendid second baseman. Bush is a good shortstop as lives. Mortality is as keen, clever and able a third baseman as the American league has and the new man on first hasn't got to be a wonder to be better than Rossman or Jones. The pitchers all look good and the team is hitting hard. Under those favorable conditions why shouldn't Detroit repeat?"

been there with the flow of talk every time out. Having seen Mathewson and some of the other baseball actors, Ty doesn't think that there is much for him to beat in making good. George Moriarty may be asked to arrange a sketch for the champion swatter, and it is possible that one or more ball players would be carried to assist Tyrus entertain the public.



Connie Mack's men seem to get the hits all at one time.

Gregg, a coast recruit, has done the best pitching of any of the Nap boxmen.

Outfielder Noofin is the latest player to be secured by Chattanooga from Cincinnati.

Wolter, Daniels and Cree are playing great ball in the outfield for the Highlanders.

It seems that Vin Campbell would have signed with another major league club had he obtained his release from Pittsburgh.

Pfeffer and Beebe, two former University of Illinois pitchers, were pitted against each other at Philadelphia the other day.

"Doc" Casey, tooth snatcher and former Tiger, is playing third base and managing the Fort Wayne Central league team.

With twenty-two runs and twenty-five hits against Newark the Toronto team has probably set a year's record early in the season.

Catcher Stange, of the Tigers, broke Ty Cobb's bat during a practice session and poor Tyrus has had to use a trange club to hit with.

Tyler, Fred Tenney's new pitcher, looks good to the Boston fans. A little more experience should make the youngster a regular winner.

Scranton, Pa., will spend \$12,000 for a new part outside the city limits, so that it may play Sunday ball without offending the morals of the pastors.

Milan, the Washington outfielder, is having his picture printed quite as often as Walter Johnson is having his. Milan is making a great record this year.

Superstition keeps Pitcher Mullin from having the operation on his nose. He has been winning with the nose as it is, and doesn't want to take a chance to change his luck.

President Ebbetts of the Brooklyn club says he would not think of selling the club to Harry Payne Whitney for \$500,000. The famous horseman wants to make McGraw manager if he gets it. Ebbetts is going to get a winner before he quits the game, he says.

COST OF BASEBALL PLAYERS

Experts Figure Nearly 400 Players Will Receive \$800,000—McGraw in \$12,000 Class.

Baseball sharps figure that before the pennant races end the magnates will have paid out more than \$800,000 for services. It is conceded that the players in the National and the American leagues this year will receive more money for their labors than ever before in the history of the game. There is no salary limit and the stipends range all the way from \$1,500 to nearly ten times that amount.

In the New York Nationals John McGraw, manager, who is not a player, will receive about \$12,000 for his work this year. Christy Mathewson is believed to be the highest paid ball player in the profession. He signed a five year contract last winter at an annual salary of \$10,000, it is said.

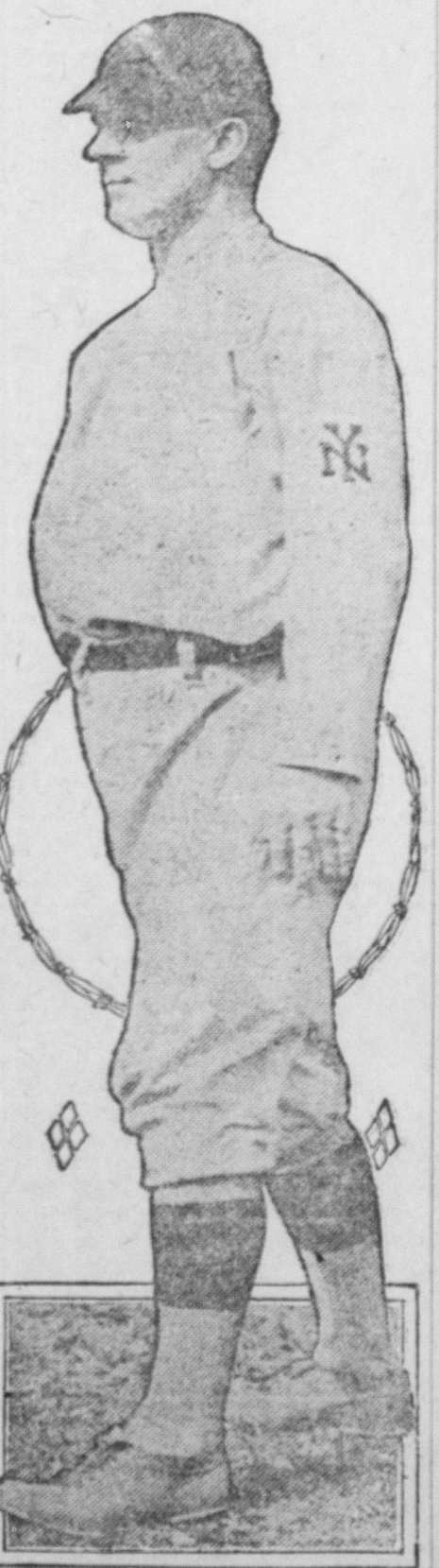
The two dozen other players on the New York team will average about \$2,750 each, swelling the total salary list to more than \$85,000, a record in professional baseball.

The New York Americans also will receive liberal salaries. Manager Chase will draw about \$7,600 for his services as manager, captain and first baseman, with a chance to receive a substantial bonus if the hill men win the championship. Russell Ford, the team's star pitcher, will get close to \$5,000 and the season's pay roll will foot up in the neighborhood of \$65,000.

Among the other big league teams the pitchers will, as usual, be the star performers on the salary list. According to current reports, the wages of some of the more important men will run about as follows:

Coombs and Bender, Philadelphia, \$5,000 each; Walsh, Chicago, \$6,000; Mullen, Detroit, \$5,000; Adams, Pittsburgh, \$5,000; Brown, Chicago, \$5,000; Collins, Philadelphia, \$7,000; Lajoie, Cleveland, \$7,000; Wagner, Pittsburgh, \$6,000; Cobb, Detroit, \$8,000.

Virtually all the big league clubs



Manager McGraw.

except Boston will exceed the \$50,000 mark in their salary lists.

Aside from the players' salaries, the expenses of each club will include about \$8,000 for railroad fares, \$6,000 for hotel accommodations, \$6,000 for clerical work, \$10,000 for rent and \$5,000 for uniforms, equipment and incidentals, or about \$35,000.

McConnell Unlucky.

Amby McConnell is one of the unluckiest players in organized baseball. He is liable to injury more than most ball players because he takes such daring chances and he has been injured often. When Amby took off his shoe the other day after being spiked his foot was covered with blood, but he gamely walked to the car without assistance after Trainer Buckner had cauterized the wound.

"The Targets Move."

Ray Fisher, the big boned Vermont-er, is a shrewd fellow. When asked whether he found it much harder to pitch in the American than in the Connecticut league, he drawled: "Well, the ball is the same size and weight, but the targets move here."

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He Used Good Material.

Rembrandt and Michael Angelo were playing checkers under a spreading tree in the golden sunlight of the Elysian Fields.

The famous Italian looked up. "Remmy," he said, "did you notice the price somebody has just paid for that 'Mill of yours'?"

"I heard about it."

"Well, I'm glad I had enough money when I painted that picture to buy a good quality of canvas. It's your move, Mike."

And the game went on.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Like the Other Chicks.

Charles T. Rose, equally well known in Masonic work and banking circles of Cleveland, is a great chicken fancier. Rhode Island Reds being his favorite breed. Walking through his incubator house he discovered that Helen, the three-year-old daughter, had followed him.

"Come here, little chickabiddy," he called to her. And when she ran up to him to be tossed up and down, she asked: "Papa, which was my incubator?"

Took Professor's Word for It.

"Didn't you hear all of the professor's lecture?"

"Why, no. He began by saying that sleep is the secret of right living—and then I came home and went to bed."

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Pittsburg.—Burgess U. Cameron, striking shopmen and other citizens of Pittsboro Borough, asked Common Pleas Court No. 3 to issue an injunction against the Pennsylvania Railroad compelling the company to restrain its police from entering Pittsboro Borough carrying firearms and to order the company not to hire policemen who have no State commissions. It is charged that railroad policemen have been discharging firearms within the borough limits and march through crowds of strikers in an effort to provoke disorder.

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THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1911.

LOCALS.

Claude K. Stahl, of Altoona, and Ralph C. Booser, of Pittsburgh, were guests in Centre Hall over Sunday.

Miss Mabel Allison, of Spring Mills, and Mrs. C. F. Shaw, of State College, were entertained by Miss Roxanna Brislin.

Ex-Commissioner George L. Goodhart, D. F. Luse, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bradford, ardent admirers of the Commoner, went to Lewistown to hear Col. Bryan speak.

The barn on the farm owned by Dr. McCluney Radcliffe, near Vira, was struck by lightning during an electric storm one day last week. The damage was not heavy, the stroke being what is known as a "cold" one.

Mountain fires in Bradford, Sullivan, Tioga, Clinton and Lycoming counties during the third week in May have destroyed hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of timber, besides many lumber camps and some farm houses.

James L. P. Gregg, who for a number of years has been identified with the public schools of Tyrone, was through Penns. Valley last week in the interest of a school book company. Mr. Gregg is well acquainted with that line of work.

Saturday Mrs. J. H. Boon will go to New York to meet her husband, and while there will bid adieu to a number of friends who are going abroad. She will not return to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Brislin, for some time.

Among the improvements being made in Centre Hall is the laying of concrete walks. Prof. P. H. Meyer, James Alexander, William McClenahan and Mrs. Sarah J. Kerlin are having these walks built in front of their respective residences. The work is being done by Mingle and Booser.

State College is going to have a Fourth of July celebration this year and preparations are now under way for a proper observance of the day. There will be a base ball game in the afternoon and a fantastic parade in the evening, followed by a supper at the Alpha Fire Company hall.

The Berwick correspondent to the North American is responsible for this bit of news: A genuine freak is the double duck which has been hatched out for John Makovach of West Berwick. They are not two bodies grown together but are two necks, two heads four wings and four legs on the same body.

On the site of the Miller house, in Lewistown, Harris Smith will erect a three-story business block, which, when completed, will be one of the handsomest blocks in that town. The structures will have a frontage of one hundred and three feet on North Dorcas street, and thirty-one feet on Market street.

In this issue, in connection with brief reports of memorial services, appear the names of soldiers of the Revolutionary War, War of 1812, and Mexican War (1846-1848), buried in the several cemeteries in the southern sections of Centre County. If any one can furnish additional names, the Reporter will be pleased to have them.

Mrs. Henry Brown, of Millheim, had the misfortune to fall and break her right thigh Monday of last week. During the day she had been assisting Mrs. Joseph Reifenyder in washing, and upon her departure in the evening passed through the summer house where she stepped on a wet board, causing her to slip and fall and sustain a fracture of the hip, which was reduced by Dr. C. S. Musser. Several years ago Mrs. Brown fell down the cellar steps at her home, thereby breaking both arms at the wrists and also breaking her nose.

The following is taken from the Altoona Times of 20th ult.: The departure from this city of representatives of labor organizations seems to indicate that the effort to create strife among the employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad has been abandoned, for the present at least. This will be welcome news to our citizens generally, and particularly to the thousands of shopmen who have been annoyed by the activities of these gentlemen. The feeling of unrest which has prevailed for several weeks ought to be speedily superseded by the calm and contentment which are characteristic of the community and which were the principal preventive of the conditions which organizers sought to establish.

The old pike from Bellefonte to State College is being improved by the townships through which it passes. The movement is also receiving the support of individuals by the way of private subscriptions. The automobile owners are back of the supervisors, and are encouraging the work and making contributions. As indicated, this road at one time was pike and toll was collected. There was a rush to remove these gates, and many thoughtless taxpayers were induced to sign the petitions condemning these roads, instead of moving in the opposite direction and forcing these corporations to properly maintain the roads they owned. The error is now very plain.

Rebersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Krumrine spent Sunday at Lamar.

Mrs. John Ocker, of Millinburg, is at present visiting at this place.

Fred Fehl and wife are at present visiting relatives in Stephenson county, Illinois.

Miss Moyer and family, of Centre Hall, spent last Saturday and Sunday at this place.

A concrete walk has been built this week on the Reformed parsonage premises.

Mrs. Sarah Strohecker is at present spending several weeks in Sugar Valley among relatives.

Miss Annie Harry, daughter of Serene Harry, of Smulton, is confined to her bed on account of illness.

Mrs. Datterer, of Nittany Valley, spent last Saturday at the home of J. R. Brumgart.

Rev. Whitman, who for the past week was visiting his sisters in the eastern part of the state, has returned home.

The other day, while peeling bark on the Bierly lumber job, Jerry Brumgart had the misfortune to cut an ugly gash in his right hand.

Mrs. Dilcom, of Union county, is nursing her sick sister, Miss Kate Moyer, who is confined to bed with consumption.

While attending services in the Reformed church on Sunday, Mrs. Lydia Loose became suddenly ill, and at present her condition is not very promising.

Henry Gilbert, of Aaronburg, spent last Saturday at this place with his brother, Monassas. From here he went to the eastern part of the valley where he will visit relatives for several days.

Last Monday Harry, son of Adam Wolf, who resides one mile east of Wolf's Store, while working with a team hitched to a land roller, his lines became entangled on the horses and while he walked out on the tongue to disentangle them, the horses took fright and ran away. The lad fell under the roller and was so badly hurt that Dr. Bright thinks the injuries may prove fatal.

Aaronburg.

Mrs. Clarence Musser visited her daughter at Bellefonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kuriz, of Millinburg, are welcome guests of Mrs. Lavina Lenker.

Mrs. Eiecta Hawk, of Lock Haven, is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Mingle spent the Sabbath with their daughter, Mrs. Nellie McCormick, at Potters Mills.

E. R. Wolfe, of Wolf's Store, was a guest at the home of Mrs. Effie Weaver one day last week.

Freeman Luse, of West Fairview, spent a few days at the home of A. S. Stover.

W. C. Mingle, a student at Lancaster, is spending his vacation under the parental roof.

Mrs. Augustus Miller, of Johnstown, is a welcome guest of Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Donat.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Eisenhour and daughter were guests of Arthur Weaver last week.

Mrs. Marr, of Phillipsburg, spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Aaron Weaver.

Mrs. Johnson and baby, of Youngstown, visited at the home of Rollin Kreamer for few days last week.

Georges Valley.

Miss Bess Davis visited her parents on Sunday.

C. W. Lingle made a trip to Milroy last Saturday.

J. T. H. Foust made a business trip to Lewistown on Monday.

Miss Ellen Confer spent a few days last week with friends in Millheim.

Mrs. W. W. Jamison spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Samuel Lingle.

Roland Zettle and family visited at the home of Harry Vonada on Sunday.

Oliver Zettle spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. S. E. Ripka, at Pleasant Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lingle returned home on Tuesday, after spending several days with friends in Lewistown.

Martin and Warren McClellan, of Spring Mills, spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Foust.

Lloyd Ripka, of Boalsburg, and Miss Hulda Ripka, of Milroy, were guests at the home of their brother, J. B. Ripka, on Sunday.

Milton Barger and sisters, Misses Abbie and Carrie, all of State College, visited at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barger, over Sunday.

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Harris township.

Mrs. Adam Zeliger, of State College, spent Saturday at Boalsburg.

Mrs. Edward Myers is spending a week at New Ark, New Jersey.

Miss Margaret Stamm, of Altoona, was in Boalsburg on Memorial Day.

Miss Olive Steele, of Bellefonte, spent a few days of last week at Boalsburg.

Miss Annie Lohr attended the funeral of her aunt Miss Elizabeth Lohr, at Bellefonte on Friday.

Newton Haupt, of Bellefonte, agent for the Prudential Life Insurance Company, spent Thursday at Boalsburg.

A number of the friends of Mrs. Grant Charles had a handkerchief shower for her on her birthday which occurred on Saturday.

Mrs. J. N. Dinges who spent the greater part of the winter at Tottenville, New York, returned to her home at Boalsburg last week.

Edith, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Klinger, of near Shingletown, is in a critical condition, having undergone a surgical operation Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Frank Stuart with her son George, of Christiansa, arrived in this place on Friday, where they will spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Garbric.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Stuart, of Bellevue, arrived at Boalsburg on Saturday. Mr. Stuart remained for the decoration and Mrs. Stuart will visit here for several weeks.

W. E. Gettig, of Altoona; S. D. Gettig, of Bellefonte; and Amos Fehl, of Smulton, were relatives from a distance who attended the funeral of Mrs. Malinda Rishel on Saturday.

Rev. S. M. Roeder and wife, of Glen Rock, who were in attendance at the General Synod of the Reformed church at Canton, Ohio, are visiting relatives and former associates on their homeward way. A short time was spent in Bellefonte and at the J. I. Thompson home at Lemont, arriving at Boalsburg on Saturday evening where they remained until Tuesday morning. Mrs. Roeder's childhood and youthful days were spent in Boalsburg and it is twenty-five years since her last visit here.

Memorial Day is always looked forward to with interest by young and old in and about Boalsburg. The attendance at these services is always large, and the spirit entered into correct. The parade was formed in the Central square, at six o'clock in the evening, headed by the veterans carrying wreaths, and next the children with bouquets. The march, of course, was to the cemetery. The address was made by J. L. Holmes, of State College, after which the graves of the heroes were decorated.

Many other graves in the cemetery were beautifully decorated in commemoration of the loved ones who were laid to rest in "Gods care" with the fallen heroes to await the time of universal peace.

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